

WRIGHT MAKES A NEW RECORD

Demonstrates That His Aeroplane Is a Success.

REMAINS ALOFT FOR AN HOUR

Also Makes a Trip With Lieutenant Lahm as a Companion in His Heavier-Than-Air Machine—Now Believed That Aerial Flight Is Merely a Matter of Development.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Orville Wright, in three phenomenal flights at Fort Myer, established new aeroplane records that not only assure the success of the official trial before the army board, but indicate that aerial flight is now only a matter of development. War on land and sea will find in the aeroplane a valuable means of reconnaissance and possibly carnage.

Two flights of approximately one hour each, another flight in which two men were whirled through the air for upwards of six minutes were the achievements of the Wright brothers' aeroplane. That these flights, record-breaking as they were, will even be surpassed by Orville Wright during his trials at Fort Myer, is confidently predicted.

The first flight, made in the morning, in which the machine circled the drill ground at the fort fifty-seven times in 57 minutes and 31 seconds was surpassed in the evening when a flight of 62 minutes and 15 seconds was made.

Not satisfied with breaking all distance and time records for a heavier-than-air flying machine, Mr. Wright took Lieutenant Frank P. Lahm, the aeronaut of the signal corps, for a spin around the drill grounds, and making a new record for a two-man flight. All this happened so quickly and unostentatiously, that the spectators, among whom were members of the cabinet and high officers of the army and navy, could hardly realize that history had been made and that a new era in the progress of the civilized world was begun.

Crowd Witnessed the Flight.

The morning flight was witnessed by only a handful of enthusiasts, but the news spread so rapidly that fully 1,000 people gathered on the military reservation across the Potomac from the national capital to see the afternoon event.

As the sun was disappearing below the Virginia horizon, the latest invention of man to challenge the laws of nature rose grandly into space and sailed over the green sward of the drill ground. Higher and higher it rose, turned at a slight angle as the aviator brought it around at the far side of the field, and raced along at increasing speed. There was hardly a quiver of the aeroplane in the first few rounds of the field. Mr. Wright evidently having the steering apparatus well in hand.

Rising and lowering at will, the flight of the man-built bird was most impressive. Round after round the machine traveled on, cutting short turns, shooting along the stretches and presenting somewhat the appearance of an automobile racing about an imaginary course in the air. The aviator paid little heed to anything but his levers for warping the surfaces of the planes and controlling the planes which control the altitude of the craft. He seemed oblivious of the crowd below until having broken the record of 57 minutes and 31 seconds established by him in the morning, the crowd raised a cheer that told him of his new achievement. Then Mr. Wright waved his acknowledgments.

Machine Scattered the Crowd.

Before the flight was begun a watch was tied to the seat next to Wright and when a little later he saw that he had stayed aloft for over an hour, the time required in order for him to fulfill his contract with the government, he made for mother earth. Swooping down in a sort of "bump the bumps" fashion, the machine bore down in the direction of the crowd, which quickly scattered, fearing that the aeroplane would run them down. Raising a cloud of dust as it slid along on the skids, the aeroplane, which weighs nearly 1,000 pounds, came to a stop within twenty feet of the crowd.

As Mr. Wright stepped from the seat and removed his goggles, he was greeted with lusty cheers. At the same time a letter from his brother Wilbur, who has been making flights at Le Mans, France, was handed to him. Mr. Wright smiled as he broke the seal. It was the first letter he had received from his brother for nearly two weeks and it seemed to interest him more than the record-breaking flight he had just completed. Lieutenant Selfridge, who operated the first successful aeroplane of the

Aerial Experiment association at Hammondsport, N. Y., was the first to congratulate Mr. Wright. Secretary Metcalf of the navy, Secretary War Wright and numerous army and navy officers, together with enthusiasts from every walk of life, gathered about the wizard of the air to grasp his hand.

Mr. Wright then invited Lieutenant Lahm to accompany him and the invitation was accepted.

With the two men, Mr. Wright and Lieutenant Lahm, in their places, the start was made, the machine apparently rising from the ground as easily with its increased burden as it had with only the inventor aboard.

As the machine completed the first round, the motor "skipped" on one cylinder but on the succeeding five trips there was no evidence that the engine built by the Wright brothers was overtaxed by the great strain imposed upon it. After the sixth lap a beautiful landing was made within 100 feet of the "aerial garage," where the machine is sheltered from the elements.

In the first flight in the evening the aeroplane circled the field fifty-five times at an estimated speed of 37 miles an hour. The power was not fully turned on in any of the flights. It is estimated that a distance of 38.5 miles was covered in the longest flight.

MANY INVITATIONS RECEIVED BY TAFT

Republican Candidate Asked to Make Several Speeches.

Cincinnati, Sept. 10.—Pending the arrangement by the Republican national committee of the details of Judge Taft's intended trip through the country, the plans for the Cincinnati campaign are being held in abeyance. But two appointments for delegations to visit the candidate here have been made for Sept. 17 and 22. Others will not be arranged until after the itinerary of the tour has been finally settled. Mr. Taft said that the committee was now working out the plan, and he expected to have it brought to him for his consideration before its final adoption. The announcement through the press that a "swing around the circuit" was to be made by the candidate, has resulted in a deluge of letters from various sections, inviting addresses. All such invitations are being referred to the national committee for consideration. The one thing settled about the traveling campaign is that the candidate will be in Chicago, Oct. 7, where he will address the Lake-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterway association at the Auditorium. Mr. Taft some time ago responded to an inquiry on the subject by saying that should the invitation be extended formally, he would accept. Mr. Bryan has accepted an invitation to address the association on Oct. 9.

Judge Taft's first day in Cincinnati was taken advantage of by many of his personal, political and professional friends to pay their respects, and from the time he reached his newly established offices at the Sinton hotel until late in the afternoon he was constantly engaged with callers.

NOT A CASE OF SUICIDE.

Coroner's Jury Finds Unknown Person Killed Dr. Rustin.

Omaha, Sept. 10.—"Dr. Frederick Rustin came to his death by a pistol shot fired by a person unknown," was the verdict of the coroner's jury.

The jury recommends that Charles E. Davis, who was implicated by Mrs. Abbie C. Rice, be held, and that his conduct on the night of Sept. 1 be thoroughly investigated.

Davis was taken into custody and later was released on a bond signed by his brothers.

It was stated by Frederick H. Davis, brother of the man under arrest, that Charles E. Davis had been afflicted for about thirteen years with spells of insanity, and that they had come on him periodically since that time. He had on three different occasions been placed in sanitariums and on at least three occasions has been violently insane. Two weeks ago he showed signs of mental aberration, which was particularly noticeable in muttering to himself and queer actions. His brother at once sent him to Dr. Frederick Rustin for treatment and he was being treated by that physician at the time of Dr. Rustin's death.

Bobby—Pa, what's a press censor? Pa—He is a man who knows more than he thinks other people should. Judge.

CHANGE IN WIND SAVES THE CITY

Flames Are Driven Away From Grand Marais, Minn.

RAIN EXTINGUISHES THE FIRES

Brings Relief to the Weary People of Hibbing and Virginia—Montenegrins Start Fires Around Chisholm and Posses Are in Pursuit of the Incendiaries, Who May Be Lynched If Caught.

Duluth, Sept. 10.—After being menaced for days by forest fires that were creeping up in a wide semi-circle upon the helpless village, 100 miles from Duluth, Grand Marais is reported to be safe.

The wind, which had been driving the huge front of flame for hours toward the threatened village, subsided and a fresh breeze carried the menace in the opposite direction. The steamer Easton of the Booth line returned here from a trip up the north shore, bringing in the news that for a time, at least, Grand Marais is not in danger of being wiped out by fire. The subsidence of the wind has quieted the circling flames and only in a few places near the town are there serious conflagrations. A strong wind blowing toward the lake would once more imperil the town.

The Easton met the United States training ship Gopher with Adjutant General Wood on board, in command of a relief expedition ordered out by Governor Johnson. Captain Smith of the Easton said that there were no fires within half a mile of Grand Marais when the ship made port. The citizens were much relieved over the change in wind conditions and expressed the belief that they were safe.

A big fire is burning in the timber around Split Rock, a few miles from Grand Marais, and at many points on the north shore Captain Smith reported that flames can be seen from the shore.

Desperate Fight With Fire.

Maple Grove, two miles from Grand Marais, had a desperate fight with the fire that threatened Grand Marais with destruction, but finally warded off the danger.

Almost as great a menace as the fires is the band of Montenegrins now roaming through the forests near Chisholm, on the Mesaba range, bent on revenge and destruction. The gang is possessed of a fiendish desire to add the fire in its ghastly work, and already has made several attempts to fire the villages.

Following the firing of a tract of forest to the west of Chisholm, a gang of the Montenegrins appeared in Brooklyn, a small hamlet on the outskirts of Hibbing, and attempted to fire several buildings. One of the gang had placed a quantity of shavings against a warehouse and was pouring coal oil on the stuff when discovered by a soldier. He escaped to the woods with his companions, and a man hunt is now on.

Authorities at Hibbing fear there will be a public lynching if any of the Montenegrins are captured, and posses of citizens from Monroe location, Chisholm and Hibbing threaten to shoot the fugitives down on sight.

The fire started back of Chisholm by the Montenegrins jumped the road, destroying two cottages. It was then checked and calm is now restored. With the exception of a guard the entire town is out hunting for the incendiaries.

Light rains at Hibbing and Virginia have partially quenched the forest fires in the vicinity of those places and the tired people are now resting from their weary fight with the flames.

PROCEEDINGS POSTPONED.

Contempt Case Against Labor Leaders Delayed.

Washington, Sept. 10.—The legal proceedings against President Samuel Gompers, Secretary Frank Morrison and John Mitchell of the American Federation of Labor, in which they were charged with contempt of the supreme court of the District of Columbia on account of acts and utterances appropos of the judgment of that court directing them to cease publishing the name of the Buck Stove and Range company in their "We Don't Patronize" list, were virtually postponed for two weeks after a brief hearing. Justice Gould of the supreme court presided.

The postponement was taken at the instance of counsel for the stove company in order to take testimony in the case and in opposition to the expressed wishes of Mr. Gompers and his associates.

Judge Alton B. Parker took an active part in presenting the defense of Messrs. Gompers, Morrison and Mitchell.

New Art Needlework

We are now showing our new line of stamped art needlework. This is a representation of all the new things and there is a splendid line to select from. It is a bit early to think of Christmas but those who select their pieces now are sure to have plenty of time to complete them in leisure. Ask to see our lines. Remember our embroidery class meets Saturday morning—instructions free.

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"MICHAEL'S"

IS RECEIVED WITH SOLEMN SPLENDOR

Papal Legate Formally Welcomed in London.

London, Sept. 10.—With all the solemn splendor of the Roman Catholic church, Cardinal Vannutelli, the pope's legate, was formally received by the prelates who have gathered here for the Eucharistic congress over which he will preside. The reception took place in Westminster cathedral, which the Catholics of England erected at a great cost, but the interior of which is not yet completed.

Long before the arrival of the legate every seat in the cathedral, which is capable of accommodating 8,000 persons, was occupied. The galleries were crowded and in the streets thousands waited for hours to get a glimpse of the pope's representative, Cardinal Vannutelli, with the attending priests, walked from the archbishop's house, a block from the cathedral, through lines of cheering people, including hundreds of priests who came from almost every country in the world to attend the congress.

A fanfare of trumpets announced his arrival to those within the edifice and the immense congregation rose to greet him. On entering the church the papal legate put on his cardinal robes of brilliant scarlet, with a long train of the same color. He was received by Archbishop Bourne, the head of the Westminster diocese, who was arrayed in his pontifical robes and carried his pastoral staff. Having kissed the crucifix, Cardinal Vannutelli received an aspersory and sprinkled the bystanders with holy water.

He then took his place under a canopy of white silk heavily embroidered with gold and was escorted by the aisle to the steps of the altar.

On either side of the aisle stood fourteen archbishops in red and purple vestments and other prelates in their more sombre cassocks, while beside the altar to receive the legate were six cardinals, including Cardinal Gibbons, also robed in scarlet.

The service opened with the singing of the Versicle "Protector Noster," which was followed by the recitation of a collect by Archbishop Bourne. Cardinal Vannutelli having likewise said a collect, again took his seat before the altar, while the chaplain read the apostolic letters appointing Cardinal Vannutelli legate of the pope.

The legate then addressed the prelates, of whom there were a greater number present than have gathered in one place in England in centuries. Archbishop Bourne replied, welcoming the papal legate in the name of the clergy and the laity of England.

The solemn benediction of the holy sacrament brought the impressive service to a close.

Burglar Commits Suicide.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 10.—Carl Sutherland, who shot and fatally wounded Captain of Police Auble, was captured and committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. Sutherland, it is alleged, had been caught in the act of committing a burglary and shot the officer when the latter attempted to arrest him.

CONNECTICUT REPUBLICANS

Nominate a State Ticket Headed by George L. Lilley for Governor.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 10.—A funny story having for its moral "Let Bygones Be Bygones," and a round of cheers for the whole ticket, national and state, brought to a close with unbounded enthusiasm the Republican state convention held in the Hyperion theater here. For six hours nearly 600 delegates and as many more spectators were under nervous tension waiting for political fireworks which did not materialize.

The ticket selected is headed by George L. Lilley of Waterbury for governor.

Save for the lieutenant governor ship the nominations were in most cases climaxes of months of the sharpest kind of political skirmishing. The big contest was that between Congressman Lilley, who brought about the inquiry into the Electric Boat company before a congressional committee last spring, and Lieutenant Governor Lake of Hartford.

The entire organization lined up behind Lilley in fulfillment of a pledge given two years ago, and Mr. Lake went down to defeat by a three to one vote. Governor Woodruff, who was desirous of being renominated on his record of business administration for the past two years, did not prove a factor in the contest.

APPROVED BY HITCHCOCK.

Findings of Committee in Contest in West Virginia.

New York, Sept. 10.—The involved political situation in West Virginia, where the factions led respectively by Arnold Scherr, now serving a second term as auditor, and Charles R. Swisher, secretary of state, have each been claiming recognition as the only regular and authorized representative of the regular Republican organization, was cleared by the recognition as regular of the convention presided over by Congressman Joseph H. Gaines, leader of the Swisher forces. The fight had been carried up to Chairman Frank Hitchcock of the national Republican committee, who appointed National Committeemen W. L. Ward, T. C. Dupont and Charles E. Brooker a sub-committee to hear both sides and pass on the respective merits of the claims advanced.

Chairman Hitchcock has approved the findings of the sub-committee.

Balloonist Fatally Injured.

New York, Sept. 10.—In view of 7,000 persons at the Richmond county fair held at Dongan Hills, Staten Island, William Coby, a youthful balloonist of Milwaukee, fell from an exploded balloon and was probably mortally injured. A baby lion, which Coby had taken up with him, also fell, but landed on the prostrate form of the aeronaut and escaped unhurt.

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THE ISSUE AND PARTY RECORD.

Will the People Trust Experiment- alists and Theorists? (From Sherman's Speech of Acceptance.)

The overshadowing issue of the campaign really is: Shall the administration of President Roosevelt be approved, shall a party of demonstrated capacity in administrative affairs be continued in power, shall the reins of government be placed in experienced hands, or do the people prefer to trust their destinies to an aggregation of experimental malcontents and theorists, whose only claim to a history is a party name they pilfered?

With a record of four decades of wise legislation; two score years of faithful administration; offering its fulfilled pledges as a guaranty of its promises for the future, the Republican party appeals to the people and, with full confidence in their wisdom and patriotism, awaits the rendition of the November verdict.

Burglar Was Too Late.

We owe an apology and an explanation to the burglar who opened our office window at the week end, sought the drawer of the cashier—and was disappointed. We do not like to appear inhospitable, but on Friday night we all of us do our own thing, and there is nothing left for visitors. Any other night we will try to give another sort of surprise.—London Chronicle.

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Sept. 10 in History.

1584—Sir Humphrey Gilbert drowned off the
Azores; born 1539.

1797—Mrs. Godwin (Mary Wollstone-
craft), famous innovator in social mat-
ters, died; born 1759.

1813—Perry's victory on Lake Erie.

1845—Judge Joseph Story, eminent
American jurist and justice of the
United States supreme court, died;
born 1779.

1904—Treaty embodying the terms de-
manded by England signed at
Lassa, Tibet.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:14, rises 5:32; moon rises
6:49 p. m.; moon's age 15 days; 11 p.
m., planet Mercury at descending node,
crossing sun's path downward; sun's
declination 4 degrees 56 minutes north
of celestial equator.

The contest for the nomination for
judge of the district court in this dis-
trict has been a spirited one, but on the
whole clean and dignified. It is now
drawing to an end and notwithstanding
all that has been said one way and the
other as to endorsement from various
sources, the fact still remains undis-
puted that B. F. Wright the candidate
from Park Rapids has held from start
to finish the unanimous support of his
own county and at this writing he has
the support of a great majority of the
lawyers of the district for the nomina-
tion. This certainly speaks well for
him, for there is no question but that
his people and the lawyers are in a
position to know.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Awnings! Awnings! D. M. Clark & Co.
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Mrs. Sam Walker left this morning
for St. Paul.

Archie Purdy left for Minneapolis
this afternoon.

Dr. Frank Sycora went to Staples on
the noon train.

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Ideal Cafe. 79tf

G. R. Snell of N. E. Brainerd, left
for St. Paul today.

Dr. E. K. Copper went to Walker to
preach there tonight.

Heber Hartley, of Cass Lake, was in
the city yesterday.

Have you tried the Security State
Bank? 75tf

A. K. Luken went to Minneapolis on
business this morning.

Olaf Johnston of Pillager was in
town between trains today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Russell returned
from Minneapolis last night.

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all colors. D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf

Dr. Courtney left yesterday after-
noon on the train for Duluth.

Gus Graham went to St. Paul this
morning on business matters.

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what you want, D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf

Walter Smith went down on the
morning train to the twin cities.

A high school dance will be given at
Walker's hall on Friday evening.

Mrs. A. Fort and daughter left yester-
day for Deerwood to spend a few
days.

Deposit your savings with the Se-
curity State Bank. We will take good
care of you.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Y. Annette are en-
tertaining Mrs. W. H. Dahlgren of
Northfield.

Mrs. C. A. Rose returned from St.
Paul last evening after a week's visit
in that city.

Store your stoves and household
goods with D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf

Milo Young, of Royalton, is in town
looking after his political interests
around this city.

Don't forget the ice cream social at
the home of Mrs. John Mutch, on 5th
street South tonight.

Lessons in music will be resumed at
St. Cecilia's hall, beginning with the
first week of September. 80tf

Miss Irma Johnson came up from
St. Paul today, after having spent an
extended visit in that place.

Mayor R. R. Wise and wife left on
the noon train for Fargo, N. D., to be
gone a few days on matters of business.

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Col. J. C. Congdon returned yester-
day from Toledo, Ohio, where he at-
tended the National G. A. R. Encamp-
ment.

Frank Fisher and family left on the
noon train today for Jameston, N. D.,
where they will make their future
home.

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cious. We have the agency. Order a
case. Telephone 164 John Coates Liquor
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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luken came up on
last night's train after a stay in Minne-
apolis and St. Paul during the past two
weeks.

The Ladies Aid of the Congrega-
tional church will hold a business meet-
ing at Mrs. A. E. Losey's Friday evening
at 7:30

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men from the N. P. shops, left for
Staples to do some needed repairs in
that place.

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tors every facility which their bal-
ances, business and responsibility war-
rants.

Frank Andrews left with his mother,
Mrs. Stewart, for Lisa Bueula, Wash-
ington, on the noon train to take up
business there.

Miss Mabel Rogers and Robt. Mc-
Clean of Walker, went up on the M. &
I., after a couple of day's visit with
friends in town.

Miss E. McCrea of St. Paul, returned
to her home this afternoon after hav-
ing spent a week at the residence of
Thomas Halliday.

Mrs. C. J. Buzzetti, of Montana, and
Renzo Collins of Nevada, came on the
early morning train to attend the fun-
eral of Pete Dennis.

James T. Spencer, of West Brainerd,
an old time resident of this city, is
lying very ill at his home. Doubts are
expressed as to his recovery.

A coffee fest and sale of fancy arti-
cles will be held at the Swedish M. E.
church, Monday, Sept. 22nd. Tickets
25 cents.

The Presbyterian Home and Foreign
Missionary society will meet with Mrs.
A. M. Opsahl, 624 South 10th street,
Friday, Sept. 11th, at 2:30 p. m.

Rev. T. G. Galbraith, of Cass Lake,
who has spent a couple of days in town
taking examinations under Rev. Chas.
Fox Davis, went home today on the
M. & I.

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support, the assurance and independ-
ence of position as a bank account with
the Security State Bank.

Miss Olive Burly, formerly a resident
of this city, but now of Kansas City,
left on this afternoon's train for the
above place after spending a month
with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harmer have
been entertaining Richard Harmer of
Northfield, and his son Hosea from
Mankato. They returned on this af-
ternoon train.

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R. B. Warner, son of County Attor-
ney Warner, left for Columbus, Ohio,
yesterday, as a delegate to the Na-
tional Convention of Locomotive En-
gineers and Firemen.

Mr. Joseph Knerr, a car repairer of
720 4th Ave. N. E., died yesterday and
will be buried from the Catholic church
at 8 a. m. tomorrow. He leaves a
widow and seven children.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Casey left yester-
day noon for Grand Forks, N. D.,
to spend a week's vacation visiting the
parents of Mr. Casey. Their daughter
Virginia accompanied them.

The Ladies of Iola Council, D. of P.,
will give an ice cream social at the
home of Mrs. John Mutch, 618 5th St.
South, Thursday afternoon and even-
ing, Sept. 10. All are cordially invited.
Tickets 15 cents. 82tf

Rev. J. H. Darnell, of Worthington,
Minn., is staying at the home of the
Rev. Abramson. The family are also
enjoying a visit from Mrs. Bert Hoyt,
a relative from Barnesville, Minn.

Mrs. E. E. Greeno is staying with
Mrs. E. K. Copper for a few days.
She is staying by the bedside of her
young son who was recently operated
on for appendicitis at St. Joseph's hos-
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The ladies of the Foreign Mission
society of the Methodist Episcopal
church will serve a 15 cent supper at
the residence of Mrs. O. Skauge, on
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served from 5:30 until 7:30.

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R. L. Russell and his brother, George
Russell of Merrifield, drove into town
this morning with team, having driven
all the way from Fargo, N. D., leaving
there on Saturday evening. They left
for Merrifield this afternoon.

Mrs. C. E. Tennis left on the noon
train for South Tacoma to spend the
winter with her daughter, Mrs. Bruce
J. Parker. She will have as company
Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Stewart, who are
leaving Brainerd to make Morey Island,
Tacoma, their permanent home.

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charter commission were on hand last
evening and were hard at it getting the
charter into presentable condition.
The worthy gentleman have been con-
stantly at it for nearly five months and
expect to complete it very soon.

DEERWOOD NOTES

Miss Olga Wetzel went to the state
fair on Thursday noon, returning Mon-
day, Sept. 7th.

Miss Jessie Whitten leaves on Sat-
urday for Brainerd, where she will teach
her same school nine miles south of
Brainerd.

Mr. Graham and wife are boarding
at the "Inn."

Bernie Taylor left the first of the
week for Detroit, Mich., where he will
again travel for the Burroughs Adding
machine.

Miss Eugena Greenhagen is working
at the "Inn" for C. J. Rathvon and
wife.

A baby girl was born to Mrs. Anton
Forgleson on Tuesday, Sept. 8. Mother
and baby are both getting along well.

School opened on Tuesday, Sept. 8,
with 30 pupils in the higher depart-
ment and 32 in the primary.

The Methodist Aid held their first
meeting after the summer vacation at
the home of their president, Mrs. Harry
Patterson.

Mrs. Herman Ringham, of Cedar
Lake brought in several cases of honey
last week for sale.

Miss Inga Melvick, who has been
staying at Mrs. Barton's hospital dur-
ing her sick spell was well enough to
go home Sunday afternoon.

Fred Winquist brought in several
jars of lovely dairy butter on Wednes-
day morning. It is for sale at C. E.
Benson's.

The summer people are leaving gradu-
ally as most of them must get back
before school commences.

Don't forget the band concert Sat-
urday evening, Sept. 12.

Carlson Brothers are building a large
warehouse across from the blacksmith
shop.

Oscar Erickson, our shoemaker is
building a residence across from Wick-
strom's carpenter shop.

Rumor has it that there is to be a tin
shower on a certain young lady. Won-
der who it is?

Charley Engman and wife are visit-
ing at the home of his father, John
Engman and family.

Sheriff Erickson was a Deerwood
visitor last week.

Miss Annie Ringham of Cedar Lake,
is going to work for Mrs. Paul K. Wet-
zel this winter.

Dr. Sewall and family are boarding
at the "Tourist's Home."

The Peckham family moved back to
Superior on Monday, after spending
the summer at the cottage on Serpent
lake.

Mrs. Wm. Harms was a Deerwood
visitor on Wednesday last.

Dr. Sewall was called to attend Mrs.
Peter Behlmer on Saturday.

NORTH LONG LAKE

Jim Selleck is spending a few days
at North Long Lake calling on old
friends.

Angus Murry and sons are busy this
week putting up hay on Mr. Richards
place.

Lyman White spent Sunday last with
his four Hughey cousins.

School commenced last week with
Miss Jennie K. Nelson, of Brainerd, as
teacher.

Mrs. R. B. Thompson is enjoying a
visit with her sister Maude.

ROMAN FLOUR

WILL BE ON SALE

NEXT SATURDAY

ALL GROCERS

Mrs. George Thompson was over to
see Mrs. John Cameron who fell one
day last week breaking her hip and re-
ceiving other severe injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Diners and baby
were calling on Mrs. Liners parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thelander, last
Sunday.

The Larkin Soap Club met at Mrs.
R. B. Thompson's this week.

Mrs. John Peterson and Miss Jean
Gibb were calling on Mrs. Claude
Wheeler, and also Carrie Peterson, of
Livingston, Montana, last Sunday after-
noon.

J. E. Hughey will commence grinding
feed on Saturday, September 19th, and
will grind every Saturday thereafter.

Mrs. H. C. Hughey left last Thurs-
day morning for Berkeley, Cal., to join Mr.
Hughey who has been there the past
eighteen months. They will visit friends
and relatives at Berkeley, and will
then leave for their return trip home
by the way of Seattle and Tacoma to
visit friends and relatives there for a
few days. They expect to arrive in
Brainerd about October 30th.

Mrs. Joe Ackerson and baby are visit-
ing Mrs. Thompson and family a few
days this week.

Mr. John Gibb returned from Minne-
apolis last Saturday where he has been
visiting his daughter and taking in the
State Fair. One thing that attracted
Mr. Gibb's attention at the fair was
the horses which he says had necks as
large as a man's body.

Mrs. R. B. Thomson enjoyed a few
days visit with a friend from Deerwood,
a Miss Nelson, last week.

COUNTRY COJIN.

ESDON ETCHINGS.

Mrs. I. H. Flint died Monday, Sept.
7 at her home. Her death was quite a
shock to her friends. She had been
feeble all winter and summer, but was
not considered dangerously ill until a
week before her death. Her husband
and son are left to mourn her loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Jabez have been enjoy-
ing a visit from Mrs. Augusta Greun-
hagen and daughter Pearl, of Minne-
apolis.

The Esdon school began last Tues-
day, with Mrs. Cora Cook as teacher.

Mrs. Ada Die began teaching at the
White school house last Tuesday.

Helen Hammett is home from Bay
Lake.

C. Avery, who has been on a visit to
Henning, Minn., returned Monday
evening.

Miss Hazel Maghan began her school
in the Hunt district last Tuesday.

DAME RUMOR.

High Finance.

"I have a bookkeeper in my office
who is evidently destined to be one of
our future captains of finance, all
right," a broker remarked the other
day. "He is a good clerk, but of late
he has been late several times, and I
had to call him down."

"You have been late three times al-
ready this week," I said. "What is the
trouble—oversleeping yourself?"

"No, sir, and I am very sorry," he
answered. "I will try not to let it hap-
pen again. It has been due to the fact
that I have been walking to the office
instead of riding."

"Think the exercise does you good?"
I asked him.

"No, sir; rather a matter of econ-
omy," he explained. "Even small sums
count to me, you see, and I have al-
ready saved enough to have my shoes
resoled."—Harper's Weekly.

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WHITE BROS.

616 Laurel Street.

Brainerd, Minn.

BRainerd Family WILL BENEFIT Probably by Receiving Aid From the Carnegie Hero Emergency Fund

FATHER LOST LIFE TO SAVE Another---Mayor Wise with Great Zeal Urges Claims of Un- fortunate Family

The people of Brainerd will be glad to learn that there is a possibility of the Carnegie Emergency Fund, a fund put aside for helping families in destitute circumstances, particularly the children, reaching a family here.

It will be remembered that last June a drowning fatality occurred at Rice lake, in which August Schultz lost his life in rescuing Mrs. August Woerner, while they were, with others, enjoying a steamboat outing. Mr. Schultz left a wife and four children, the youngest having been born since Mr. Schultz lost his life in his successful effort of saving Mrs. Woerner's life, and the oldest being about five years.

Mayor R. R. Wise, when hearing of the sadness and worthiness of the case of Mrs. Schultz and young children, immediately put himself in communication with some influential and wealthy friends in New York who were in touch with Carnegie fund which was established by Mr. Andrew Carnegie for necessitous cases, and as the result of considerable correspondence one of the four inspectors, Mr. H. S. Harris, was sent to Brainerd yesterday and is in town at present looking into the matter.

Just what the result will be we are not able to tell until Mr. Harris makes his final report to headquarters, but it is hoped that the report will be favorable and that Mrs. Schultz and her needy children may become the beneficiaries of this worthy fund. Mayor Wise informs THE DISPATCH reporter that the fund when given cares for the training, clothing, education, etc., of children until they reach their major years, which will be a great boon to that family who has been robbed of its bread-winner and who gave his life for another.

A Sure-enough Knocker

J. C. Goodwin, of Reidsville, N. C., says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure-enough knocker for ulcers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds. Not even a scar remained." Guaranteed for piles, sores, burns, etc. 25c at H. P. Dunn's drug store.

Bronzed and Healthy

Wallace Lind, formerly a Brainerd boy, graduate of our high school, but now a midshipman at the Annapolis naval academy, came to Brainerd last evening on a three week's leave of absence. Mr. Lind is a full fledged Middy in Uncle Sam's navy, and but a few days before leaving Annapolis returned from his first long cruise on the Atlantic seaboard. Mr. Lind looks every inch a sailor, and says that our navy offers magnificent opportunities for young men of the right stamp, physically and mentally and predicts that the American navy is bound to be enlarged in a few years. He is staying with his parents in Southeast Brainerd.

How to Get Strong

P. J. Daly, of 1247 W. Congress St., Chicago, tells of a way to become strong. He says: "My mother who is old and very feeble, is deriving so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I that feel it's my duty to tell those who need a tonic and strengthening medicine about it. In my mother's case a marked gain in flesh has resulted, insomnia has been overcome, and she is steadily growing stronger." Electric Bitters quickly remedy stomach, liver and kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at Dunn's drug store, 50c.

Five Strong Reasons

Why painting in the fall is best

1. In the fall, the surface is thoroughly dry. During the spring a surface which needs repainting is sure to contain moisture and dampness or frost, and it cannot be successfully painted until it has thoroughly dried out.
2. When the wood is dry, it absorbs more of the paint; the paint penetrates deeper into the wood, therefore gets a firmer hold on it, giving the paint coating greater tenacity for holding qualities.
3. Paint cannot be as successfully applied in damp, cloudy or unsettled weather as in warm, sunny weather. In the fall the weather is more settled and uniform and is warmer, therefore it is an excellent time for painting.
4. A house needs its protective coat of paint more in the winter months than at any other time. A house in need of painting should never be allowed to go over the winter without this protection.
5. It is easier to keep the winter's moisture and dampness out by applying a coat of paint in the fall, when the surface is dry, than it is to get moisture or dampness out of the wood if you want to apply a coat of paint in the spring.

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CONDUCTOR SAVES HIS WIFE

Rushes Into Burning Car and Carries Her to Safety—Also Another Lady

The Duluth Herald contains the following concerning the burning of the sleeper on the N. P. at Staples Tuesday morning:

"Mrs. J. H. O'Brien of Twenty-fifth avenue west, was a passenger in the Northern Pacific sleeping car, which burned at Staples early Tuesday morning, and owes her life to the bravery of her husband, Conductor J. H. O'Brien who rushed through the smoke and fire to save the lives of his passengers.

"Conductor O'Brien rescued his wife and another woman and made a desperate attempt to reach Mrs. Joseph Gibb, of Lisbon, N. D., who lost her life from suffocation in the burning car.

"Knowing his wife was sleeping in the car, Mr. O'Brien's first thought was of her safety and he carried her from the burning car in her night clothes. She left her clothing and jewelry in her berth.

"As soon as he had brought Mrs. O'Brien to fresh air and to safety, the conductor rushed back into the sleeper again to save other occupants.

"Grasping a woman who was screaming with fright and beseeching someone to save her, Conductor O'Brien started to grope his way back with her. But the women in her great fright seemed to have lost her reason and clung desperately to the curtains of the berth.

"She held on so tightly that her deliverer was obliged to wrench away the curtains by sheer force before he could carry her out.

"The curtain incident delayed Mr. O'Brien and gave the fire a chance to make further progress so that when he sought to re-enter the car to get Mrs. Gibb he was driven back by the intense smoke. Mrs. Gibb was suffocated in her berth.

"It is not known how the fire started, but it is thought to have originated from a defective lamp."

A Paying Investment

Mr. John White, of 38 Highland Ave., Houlton, Maine, says: "Have been troubled with a cough every winter and spring. Last winter I tried many advertised remedies but the cough continued until I bought a 50c bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery; before that was half gone, the cough was all gone. This winter the same happy result has followed; a few doses once more banished the annual cough. I am now convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best of all cough and lung remedies." Sold under guarantee at H. P. Dunn's drug store. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Former Brainerd Resident Loses Foot in Railroad Accident in the Yards at Duluth

Fred W. Brewer, at one time a resident of Brainerd and well known and respected in this city, met with a frightful accident in the Duluth train yards yesterday. Mr. Brewer, who is a freight conductor, according to the reports received here was taking a ride on the pilot and somehow lost his balance falling beneath the engine. The news received by the trainmen here is to the effect that one foot was cut off and also the other leg above the knee.

Pippen-La Vigne

The marriage of George Pippin to Alice La Vigne, was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage, Rev. Charles Fox Davis officiating. The young couple are from Walker, Minn., and were accompanied to this city by Miss Mabel E. Rogers and Robert E. McClean, both of the same city. The short ring service of the church was read and the event witnessed by a few friends. The young couple left last evening for Minneapolis, thence to Iowa to be gone a month, finally making their home in Walker.

ELECTRIC WIRING NOT THE CAUSE

Supt. Baker Denies Emphatically that Poor Wiring Caused Reilly Fire

SAYS HE CAN PROVE IT

Loss by the Fire to Clothing of Mr. Moody will be Considerable

THE DISPATCH is in receipt of the following communication from Supt. Baker, of the electric light plant:

Sept. 11th. 1908.

EDITOR DAILY DISPATCH.

I see by yesterday's issue that the fire at the Reilly block was reported by some one as caused by defective wiring, and I wish to state that I personally went and examined all the wires and lights in the building and found them all in working order. Even in the one in the closet the fuses had not been blown, and it was turned off. But the globe or lamp had been broken by the heat of the fire, and I claim that the fire was not caused by electric light wires in any way, shape or form, and more than that I can prove it, and I would suggest that it would be well for people before making such remarks to investigate and know what they were talking about, and be able to prove and demonstrate such was the case; for it does not help to lessen the rate of insurance. And I further wish to state that the plant had been shut down all day up to 3 p. m.

Yours respectfully,

RUSSELL BAKER, Superintendent.

Although the building was not damaged much by yesterday's fire in the Reilly block, the loss will be considerable. Mr. and Mrs. Moody and daughter had all their clothing stored in the closet, which was all destroyed or so badly damaged as to have no value. Some lace curtains, a rug and other articles were also damaged beside a bed room suite and other furniture. Mr. Moody places his loss between six and seven hundred dollars, which is fully covered by insurance. The damage to the building is estimated at about \$50.

Delicious Banana Cream

This recipe is highly recommended by one of our correspondents. Try it for dessert tomorrow. Peel five large bananas, rub smooth with five teaspoonsful of sugar. Add one teaspoon sweet cream beaten to a stiff froth, then add one 10c package of Lemon JELL-O dissolved in 1½ cups boiling water. Pour into mold and when cold garnish with candied cherries. Served with whipped cream, or any good pudding sauce. JELL-O is sold by all Grocers at 10c a package.

PLEASANT SOCIAL FUNCTION

Silver Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Martin Schultz Appropriately Celebrated

One of the most delightful social events of recent occurrence in our city was the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Martin Schulz at their pleasant home at 315 4th Ave. N. E., on Tuesday evening, Sept. 8th. About 50 of their most intimate friends were invited, the occasion being the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Schulz were assisted in receiving by their four daughters, Misses Emma, Theresa, Alma and Minnie. The parlor and dining room were tastefully decorated in flower foliage and silver decorations.

After hearty congratulations had been extended to Mr. and Mrs. Schulz the company was most agreeably entertained by several choice piano selections beautifully rendered by Miss Theresa, and a group of readings given most acceptably by Mr. Waldron Holden. Mrs. Rossella Johnson sang in her usual sweet and charming voice and manner several fine selections.

There was a fine display of gifts in sterling silver and cut glass from the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Schulz, some of whom were not able to be present. The groom's gift was an elegant Flemish oak book case. Refreshments deliciously prepared were daintily served.

The out of town guests were Mr. August Koellner, father of Mrs. Schulz, Mrs. Hasemeister, Mrs. Koellner and Master Elmer, all of Milwaukee.

They Take the Kinks Out

"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for many years, with increasing satisfaction. They take the kinks out of stomach, liver, and bowels, without fuss or friction," says N. H. Brown, of Pittsfield, Vt. Guaranteed satisfactory at H. P. Dunn's drug store. 25c

Advertised Letters

The following advertised letters at the postoffice, Brainerd, Minn., Sept. 11, 1908. When called for say "advertised."

Adam Mrs Emma Berggrain Mrs G Berg C	Doughton Edd Kereles Jacob King J
Blackmore Nettie Christoffson Mrs A Clark Eugene	Mason Geo W Schiller Frank Sutton C E
Fuller Fred Halvorsen Olaf W Johnson Porters	Sullivan Dan Thompson Mrs A Welch Joseph
Johnson Mrs Geo	Yung Mrs G G

N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

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THE BEST FOR BILIOUSNESS AND KIDNEYS.

REFUNDING BONDS RECEIVED

Bonds on Which City Defaulted Last January Will Now be Paid

Judd Wright, city treasurer, received today from the state auditor the refunding bonds amounting to \$40,000 to pay the electric light bonds which were due here January 1st, 1908. This fact cuts down the interest 2 per cent from the 6 per cent which the city is now paying saving the taxpayers several hundred dollars.

Notice

All members of White Sand lodge, M. B. A., are requested to meet at Elk's hall at 7:15 Friday morning to attend the funeral of Joseph Kner.

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

Rival Sections of the Y. M. C. A. Will Contest for Honor of Securing Most New Members

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. met last evening in special session to consider a challenge issued to them by the Physical Section Committee to take one side of the membership campaign. The challenge had been signed by the members of the committee and is backed by strong interest and enthusiasm, so the board accepted the challenge.

The physical section committee will be officially notified and then the organization of the campaign will be immediately entered into by both sides and completed so as to launch an enthusiastic group of workers sometime next week.

The success of this campaign will mean the determination of the future of this association.

Notice

As there is rabies in and around the city no dogs will be allowed to run at large unless properly muzzled. These orders will be rigidly enforced until further notice.

Dated, Brainerd, Minn., Sept. 4, 1908.

R. A. BEISE, Health Officer.

A DOUBTFUL ENDORSEMENT

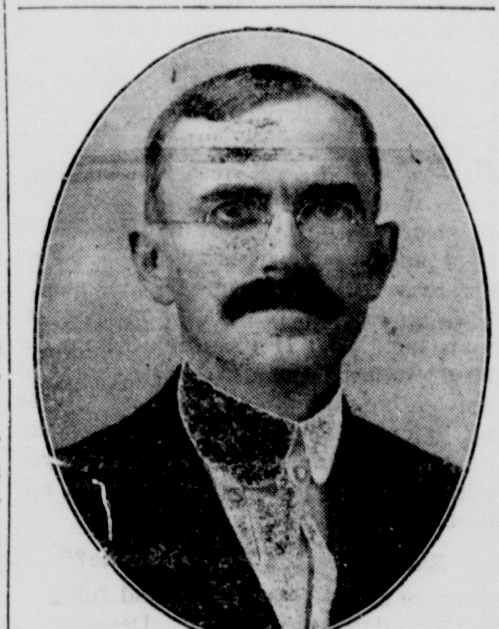
In the Campaign for Nomination for District Judge

From the Bemidji Daily Pioneer.

One of those surprising moves peculiar to the winding up of political campaigns has just appeared in the contest for the nomination for judge in this district.

Mr. Wright of Park Rapids has had the rather unusual good fortune to have the unanimous endorsement of the republicans of his own county all the way through the campaign, while Mr. Thwing of Grand Rapids has, as appears from his own campaign literature and newspaper articles, labored under very strong opposition at home.

Now in the very last days of the campaign, possibly hoping to make it work as a surprise to the opposition, the supporters of Mr. Thwing have had



B. F. WRIGHT
of Park Rapids, Minn.

printed and will no doubt circulate throughout the district by mail, a letter signed by Geo. W. Holland, of Brainerd, endorsing the candidacy of Mr. Thwing and incidentally speaking a good word for the democratic-independent candidate.

No one would think of denying the right of every person to endorse in any manner the candidate of his choice for any office, but when it is done in this way, at this time and at such expense, when a short newspaper interview would accomplish the purpose, there can certainly be no reason why the public at large should not have the one right to scrutinize the act for motives and results.

Judge Holland, as is well known in all the older settled portions of the district is now and always has been a staunch, rock-ribbed democrat, and never dabbles in politics, except for himself alone or some other democratic candidate. And in this instance quite a reasonable presumption is raised that the endorsement is rather more of a move in behalf of the independent candidate, who is a democrat, than to really help Mr. Thwing. This presumption is the more reasonable in view of the fact that in Brainerd, where Judge Holland lives, Mr. Thwing is not strong

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FOOD

So nourishing that persons could live a long period of time upon nothing but this food. No breakfast food as perfect.

and is regarded by the democrats as the easier man to beat.

Moreover, while we do not know how extensive an acquaintance Mr. Holland may have with Mr. Thwing either as a man or lawyer upon which to base his endorsement, yet it is true that Judge Holland was defeated for the bench by Judge McClenahan eight years ago retiring from active practice, while Mr. Thwing didn't begin practice in Grand Rapids until a year later or seven years ago.

However, it is well known that in the campaign of eight years ago, B. F. Wright, of Park Rapids, the other candidate for the republican nomination and against whom this endorsement is expected to act, was a strong and active supporter of Judge McClenahan.

As to the result of such an endorsement, it is very liable to be ineffective one way or the other, and indeed be beneficial to Mr. Wright rather than detrimental. The fact that it is put forth at this late day, and in a somewhat secret manner, creates a suspicion that does not go well with a judicial campaign.

The same is true of any other endorsement. If it is worth anything at all, why keep it under cover until the last days of the race?

Legal Remarks.

"Gentlemen of the jury," said the pompous lawyer, assuming his most imposing mien, "I once sat upon the judge's bench in Iowa."

"Where was the judge?" quickly inquired the opposing attorney, and the pompous gentleman found the thread of his argument hopelessly entangled.—Detroit Free Press.

Offensive.

"No, I don't like that woman," declared Nuwed.

"And why not?"

"She's too blamed sorry for my wife to suit my ideas of what's requisite and necessary."

Gored to Death by a Bull.

Minneapolis, Sept. 10.—To be gored to death by a savage bull which he had gone to feed was the fate of Peter X. Jensen, an old man seventy-four years old who was boarding with C. E. Holden of this city.

Over a Hundred Years Old.

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 10.—Mrs. Sallie Ruthford is dead here at the age of 113 years. She was born in Middleton, Ky., in 1795, and had never experienced a week's sickness in her life.

Cholera in St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—The fact that Asiatic cholera exists in St. Petersburg has been established beyond doubt. The body of the woman who died in this city Tuesday, supposedly from this disease, has been examined and the bacilli of cholera found.

Your Mirror Does It Reflect Beauty?

or,

Does it show an otherwise handsome face, of perfect contour, utterly ruined by a coarse-pored skin, marred by humiliating blotches and wrinkles?

If it does it is simply the fault of your own neglect! It is easily within the reach of every woman to possess a pure, elastic skin with clean, fine pores, radiant with the youthful glow of a magnificent complexion.

The skin is extremely delicate and may be easily ruined. Don't make experiments with unknown, or new and untried preparations. Carefully choose those standard preparations that are used and recommended by fastidious women who are competent to judge.

The preparations made by E. Burnham, Chicago, have been standard beauty requisites for 30 years. The foremost beauty experts and chemists are employed in their production. These preparations are made of the very finest ingredients and conform to the latest discoveries of science.

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Her Blunder.

Him—And I'm the only man you ever loved?

Her—Yes, dearest.

Him—May I speak to your father?

Her—I suppose you'd better.

Him—I wonder how he'll take it.

Her—Oh, I never can tell about dad.

He treats some of the boys very nicely, and at others he gets fearfully angry, and—why, what's the matter, George?—Cleveland Leader.

Hard Coughs

We publish the complete formulas of all our medicines. We are proud of them. We have nothing to conceal; no secrets to hide.

If your doctor fully endorses your taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for your hard cough, then buy it and use it. If he does not, then do not take a single dose of it. He knows all about this splendid medicine for coughs and colds. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

M. K. SWARTZ

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Having had an opportunity to get a consignment of high grade statuary in advance of the season at a price to give to the public at exceptional values, I will invite you all to call and see this beautiful line and learn the very low price which is only about half their real values.

This sale will not last long as the prices will surely take them quick. It will surely please you to take a look at this beautiful display at our store window.

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CALUMET Baking Powder

Received Highest Award World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, 1907.

TRYING TO HOOD- WINK NEGROES

Democrats Pursuing Their Usual
Double Faced Policy.

Upholding Disfranchisement In the
South While Forming Colored
Bryan Clubs in West.

(From the Baltimore Sun, Dem.)

General Winfield S. Hancock, who was the Democratic nominee for President in 1880, declared the tariff was principally a "local question"—that is to say, a Pennsylvania Democrat might be a protectionist for protection's sake, while a Democrat in Georgia or in Iowa might hold fast to the doctrine of a tariff for revenue only. The Massachusetts Democrat might be a free trader without reservation of any kind, while the West Virginia Democrat might be a free trader only with respect to commodities which were not produced by his own State. General Hancock's pronouncement was considered an ingenious evasion of the tariff issue, but it did not produce harmony in the Democratic party, and the general was defeated.

Twenty-eight years have passed since General Hancock defined the tariff as a local question upon which the Democrats of each State were free to act with regard chiefly to local interests. The principle which he then formulated seems to have been adopted by Democrats in the West in respect to the relation of the Democratic party to the negro. Last week the West Virginia Democratic convention embodied in its platform planks demanding certain qualifications for voters, designed to disfranchise many negroes. Their platform also contains a declaration in favor of separate coaches for white and negro passengers on railroads. The West Virginia Democrats not only refuse to hold out the olive branch to the negro and invite him into their fold, but they are determined to limit his political activity by a disfranchising law and to bring him under the operation of a "Jim Crow" law when he travels on the railroads of that State.

What are the Promises?

Out in Nebraska and in Kansas the Democratic campaign managers are organizing negro voters into Bryan clubs. In Ohio no effort will be spared to secure the support of the negro voters for the Democratic national ticket. What pledges have been given and what inducements have been offered does not appear. But it is a fair inference that the managers have promised to do "something for the negro," perhaps to recognize him in the distribution of offices, if Mr. Bryan should be elected, and also to take such action as the negroes may demand in respect to the reinstatement of the negro battalion dismissed from the army by President Roosevelt for the attack on Brownsville. Last week when the West Virginia Democrats were declaring for a disfranchisement law and for a "Jim Crow" law, the Democratic convention in the Twelfth Congressional district of Ohio adopted a platform favoring "the enactment of laws which shall accord to all men accused of wrongdoing, whether soldiers or civilians, a fair and impartial trial and an opportunity to be heard before conviction or punishment."

This apparently refers to the Brownsville incident. It may also have a broader meaning and a more extended application and may be susceptible of an interpretation which will make Southern Democrats open their eyes with amazement and possibly with apprehension.

Race Question "Local Issue?"

There seems to be no ground for reasonable doubt that the Democratic campaign managers in the West, in the effort to secure negro support for their national ticket, are acting upon the principle that the race question is only a "local issue." It is evident that the South does not approve this plan of campaign, but is powerless to check it. The Democracy of the South is in full accord with the position taken by the West Virginia Democrats last week. And yet it is assumed by those who are trying to get negroes to support Mr. Bryan that the South will act in hearty co-operation with the Ohio, Nebraska, Kansas and Illinois Democrats, who are welcoming the negro into free fellowship in the Democratic party and probably promising to annul the decision of President Roosevelt in the Brownsville matter. The theory of Western Democrats that the race problem is merely a local issue is calculated to give the South much concern. Many Democrats in that section may question whether it is worth while to elect a Democratic president who may open wide the door of political opportunity to the negro.

Mr. Bryan criticizes Mr. Taft for adding to the Republican platform. In the meantime the number of "paramount issues" which Mr. Bryan subtracted from the Democratic platform would fill several large volumes.—Omaha Bee.

Honors are easy again. Every time Mr. Taft buys a new horse Mr. Bryan mounts a new hobby.—Omaha Bee.

CHICAGO BOY MISSING.

Mystery Complicated by Return of His Pet Dog.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—The mystery of the disappearance of Perry Paul Elliot, a twelve-year-old boy for whom the police have been searching since Friday, was further complicated by the return of Perry's pet dog, "Spot," with the boy's cap between his teeth. What seems to be the stains of blood were on the cap. Shortly afterward a note demanding \$500 for the return of the boy was slipped under the door.

Mrs. Elliot, the lad's mother, told a remarkable story to the police. She claims to have deserted the boy's father years ago and to have been duped into a mock marriage with one Charles P. Pillars, with whom she lived at Traverse City, Mich., until she came to Chicago and married Harry Thomas, a telegraph operator.

BATTLING NELSON DEFEATS JOE GANS

Champion Knocks Out Negro in
Twenty-first Round.

San Francisco, Sept. 10.—Batting Nelson clinched his claim to the lightweight pugilistic championship by defeating Joe Gans for the second time at Colma arena. The fight ended in the twenty-first round, when Gans, beaten down by a succession of blows from his sturdy conqueror, failed to get upon his feet within the count of ten. The veteran colored fighter was severely punished, but the champion, too, bore the marks of battle. From the first clang of the gong to the last moment Nelson forced the fighting, never giving ground and gradually battered down his older and less vigorous opponent.

Gans succumbed in the twenty-first round after being unmercifully trounced. Nelson in this round rained right and left blows to jaw and body and Gans sank to the floor. Mechanically the now defeated fighter watched Referee Eddie Smith wave his hands, apparently too far gone to hear him count. Not until the count of ten was finished did Gans, his face terribly cut and his eyes glassy, attempt to rise. He realized, however, that it was too late and feebly declared: "I have positively fought my last battle."

The fight was spectacular and at no time did it appear that Gans had a chance to win. Time and again he would shoot wicked punches to Nelson's face and body but the latter never for an instant wavered. Falling to arrest the rushing champion at any stage, Gans seemed to lose heart and gradually weakened, though he often rallied and fought back fiercely.

BASEBALL SCORES.

American Association.
At St. Paul, 11; Milwaukee, 6.
At Columbus, 2; Louisville, 6.
At Minneapolis, 6; Kansas City, 3.
At Indianapolis, 3; Toledo, 1. Second game—Indianapolis, 5; Toledo, 3.
American League.
At Washington, 5; Boston, 4.
At Philadelphia, 6; New York, 9.
At Detroit, 7; Chicago, 6—twelve innings.
At Cleveland, 1; St. Louis, 0—ten innings.
National League.
At Chicago, 5; St. Louis, 3.
At Boston, 5; Philadelphia, 2.
At New York, 7; Brooklyn, 3.
At Pittsburgh, 11; Cincinnati, 1.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, Sept. 9.—Wheat—Sept., 98½¢; Dec., 99½¢; May, 1.03½¢. On track—No. 1 hard, 1.01½¢; 1.02½¢; No. 1 Northern, 1.00½¢; 1.01½¢; No. 2 Northern, 98½¢; 99½¢; No. 3 Northern, 96½¢; 97½¢.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, Sept. 9.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, 1.01; No. 1 Northern, 1.00; No. 2 Northern, 98¢; Sept., 99¢; Dec., 98½¢; May, 1.02½¢. Flax—To arrive, on track and Sept., 1.24½¢; Oct., 1.23½¢; Nov., 1.23½¢; Dec., 1.22½¢.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.
St. Paul, Sept. 9.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$6.00 to \$6.75; fair to good, \$5.00 to \$5.75; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.00 to \$5.00; veals, \$3.75 to \$6.00. Hogs—\$6.00 to \$6.85. Sheep—Wethers, \$3.75 to \$4.10; yearlings, \$4.00 to \$4.25; spring lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.25.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, Sept. 9.—Wheat—Sept., 97½¢; Dec., 96½¢; 96½¢; May, 1.00 to 1.00½¢. Corn—Sept., 79½¢; Dec., 68½¢; May, 66½¢; July, 65½¢. Oats—Sept., 49½¢; Dec., 50½¢; May, 52½¢. Pork—Sept., \$14.60; Oct., \$14.67½; Jan., \$16.42½. Butter—Creameries, 18½¢ to 22½¢; dairies, 17 to 20¢. Eggs—20¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 17¢; chickens, 10¢; springs, 14¢.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.
Chicago, Sept. 9.—Cattle—Beefves, \$2.70 to \$7.70; Texans, \$3.50 to \$5.00; Western cattle, \$3.40 to \$6.10; stockers and feeders, \$2.60 to \$4.50; cows and heifers, \$1.80 to \$5.80; calves, \$6.00 to \$8.00. Hogs—Light, \$6.40 to \$7.02½; mixed, \$6.40 to \$7.12½; heavy, \$6.40 to \$7.15; rough, \$6.40 to \$6.60; good to choice hogs, \$6.60 to \$7.15; pigs, \$4.15 to \$6.05. Sheep, \$2.96 to \$4.30; yearlings, \$4.20 to \$4.80; lambs, \$3.50 to \$5.00.

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BRYAN BEGINS EASTERN TRIP

Candidate Starts on His Inva-
sion of the East.

TRAVELS IN A PRIVATE CAR

Democratic Leader Accorded a Series
of Ovations at Peoria, Ill.—Discusses
Issues of the Campaign and Again
Says Mr. Taft Is Not Satisfied With
the Republican Platform.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 10.—Democracy's leader, William J. Bryan, was the man of the hour in Peoria. From the moment he set foot in the city until his departure for Evansville, Ind., he was accorded a series of demonstrations which breathed sincerity and admiration. Within ten minutes after he arrived he addressed a large crowd in front of the hotel, they insisting that he give them a talk. He took for his text the more striking passages of his Labor day address in Chicago, and dwelt at some length on the right of trial by jury in cases of indirect contempt. During the afternoon and evening he made three other speeches, the principal one at the Coliseum, which was filled to its capacity, and which necessitated an overflow address in courthouse square. His set speech on the state and nation, in which he declared in favor of state rights, was received with vociferous applause and every manifestation of approval. Although it was oppressively hot, Mr. Bryan did not give evidence of suffering any discomfort. When he had finished his prepared speech he launched into a discussion of the various issues of the campaign and reiterated his charge that Mr. Taft was not satisfied with the Republican platform, and had been compelled to amend it in many particulars.

When the train pulled out of the depot here, the actual invasion of the East by the Democratic candidate was begun. From this point until the trip is concluded Sept. 29, at Lincoln, Mr. Bryan will travel in a private car. Accompanying him are former Governor W. S. Jennings of Florida; Robert S. Rose, secretary; four newspaper men and A. E. Manning, who will look after the comfort of the party. Governor Jennings will have the complete management of the car.

While in West Virginia and Maryland, Mr. Bryan will seize the opportunity to confer with the Democratic county chairmen of those states.

Cannon and Shaw Talk.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 10.—With two national figures in American politics present, Joseph G. Cannon and Leslie M. Shaw, both leaders in the councils of the Republican party, the Republicans of Illinois met in state convention here. Both of these gentlemen made stirring speeches, and were rigorously applauded.

Fires in Michigan.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 10.—Reports from the northern portion of the Lower Peninsula are to the effect that the forest fires which have been sweeping over that section have been fanned into renewed fury by strong southwest winds. Several towns are in danger.

Six Men Drowned.

London, Sept. 10.—A severe gale caused many casualties among smaller craft along the coast. The schooner Phyllis Gray, laden with coal, went aground and turned turtle near Croydon. The crew of six men were lost.

ROBBED HIS ADMIRERS.

Former Danish Cabinet Minister an
Embezzler.

Copenhagen, Sept. 10.—The downfall of M. Alberti, the former minister of justice, who has surrendered to the police and confessed to a series of frauds against the Bøllestandens Sparkasse, a savings bank of which he was president, will be felt the keenest by those who were his most ardent admirers and supporters.

The exact amount involved through Alberti's fraudulent operations and embezzlement has not yet been ascertained, but will be several millions of dollars, the Danish Farmers' Butter Export association alone suffering a loss of \$1,500,000, while widespread ruin has been caused among thousands of peasants, from whom the former minister of justice derived his power. The minister of finance even now is considering the advisability of the state assisting the ruined depositors. According to Alberti's own story, he began falsifying the accounts of the bank in 1894, seven years before he was appointed minister of justice. The bulk of the money and his own fortune were lost, he says, through speculations in various American gold mines. He conducted his speculations through London firms, going to the city twice a year to confer with them for the past fourteen years.

When M. Alberti resigned his portfolio on July 25, last, the announcement that his action was caused by ill health was immediately disbelieved. It was said that in reality his leaving the cabinet was due to attacks made upon his personal probity by a radical opposition. M. Alberti's personal followers came to his support.

Carl's Aspirations.

Little Carl, six years old, had been teased a great deal by his uncle about the vocation he would choose when he became a man. One day he overheard his mother and a caller talking about a certain gentleman being a bachelor.

When the caller left, his mother noticed that he was unusually quiet and seemed to be in a deep study. Finally he said to her, "Mamma, is a bachelor a good trade?"—Belmont.

Bryan's Precinct Republican.

At the recent primary election in Nebraska Lancaster Precinct No. 4, in which is located Fairview, the voting precinct of W. J. Bryan, cast thirty-five Republican votes and twenty-six Democratic. The same precinct last fall cast forty-three Republican votes and thirty-five Democratic, a Democratic loss of slightly more than 1 per cent. When Mr. Bryan lived in town he registered in Precinct A of the Fifth Ward, a polling place which usually could be depended upon to vote about the proportion of three Republicans to one Democrat. At the time he removed to Fairview he remarked jocularly that he was going to a community where the political division was more even, and he hoped in time to reform Lancaster No. 4 as to make it veer around to his way of thinking.

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Also Makes a Trip With Lieutenant Lahm as a Companion in His Heavier-Than-Air Machine—Now Believed That Aerial Flight Is Merely a Matter of Development.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Orville Wright, in three phenomenal flights at Fort Myer, established new aeroplane records that not only assure the success of the official trial before the army board, but indicate that aerial flight is now only a matter of development. War on land and sea will find in the aeroplane a valuable means of reconnaissance and possibly carnage.

Two flights of approximately one hour each, another flight in which two men were whirled through the air for upwards of six minutes were the achievements of the Wright brothers' aeroplane. That these flights, record-breaking as they were, will even be surpassed by Orville Wright during his trials at Fort Myer, is confidently predicted.

The first flight, made in the morning, in which the machine circled the drill ground at the fort fifty-seven times in 57 minutes and 31 seconds was surpassed in the evening when a flight of 62 minutes and 15 seconds was made.

Not satisfied with breaking all distance and time records for a heavier-than-air flying machine, Mr. Wright took Lieutenant Frank P. Lahm, the aeronaut of the signal corps, for a spin around the drill grounds, and making a new record for a two-man flight. All this happened so quickly and unostentatiously, that the spectators, among whom were members of the cabinet and high officers of the army and navy, could hardly realize that history had been made and that a new era in the progress of the civilized world was begun.

Crowd Witnessed the Flight.

The morning flight was witnessed by only a handful of enthusiasts, but the news spread so rapidly that fully 1,000 people gathered on the military reservation across the Potomac from the national capital to see the afternoon event.

As the sun was disappearing below the Virginia horizon, the latest invention of man to challenge the laws of nature rose grandly into space and sailed over the green sward of the drill ground. Higher and higher it rose, turned at a slight angle as the aviator brought it around at the far side of the field, and raced along at increasing speed. There was hardly a quiver of the aeroplane in the first few rounds of the field, Mr. Wright evidently having the steering apparatus well in hand.

Rising and lowering at will, the sight of the man-built bird was most impressive. Round about round the machine traveled on, cutting short turns, shooting along the stretches and presenting somewhat the appearance of an automobile racing about an imaginary course in the air. The aviator paid little heed to anything but his levers for warping the surfaces of the planes and controlling the altitude of the craft. He seemed oblivious of the crowd below until having broken the record of 57 minutes and 31 seconds established by him in the morning, the crowd raised a cheer that told him of his new achievement. Then Mr. Wright waved his acknowledgments.

Machine Scattered the Crowd.

Before the flight was begun a watch was tied to the seat next to Wright and when a little later he saw that he had stayed aloft for over an hour, the time required in order for him to fulfill his contract with the government, he made for mother earth. Swooping down in a sort of "bump the bumps" fashion, the machine bore down in the direction of the crowd, which quickly scattered, fearing that the aeroplane would run them down. Raising a cloud of dust as it slid along on the skirts, the aeroplane, which weighs nearly 1,000 pounds, came to a stop within twenty feet of the crowd.

As Mr. Wright stepped from the seat and removed his goggles, he was greeted with lusty cheers. At the same time a letter from his brother Wilbur, who has been making flights at Le Mans, France, was handed to him. Mr. Wright smiled as he broke the seal. It was the first letter he had received from his brother for nearly two weeks and it seemed to interest him more than the record-breaking flight he had just completed. Lieutenant Selfridge, who operated the first successful aeroplane of the

Aerial Experiment association at Hammondsport, N. Y., was the first to congratulate Mr. Wright. Secretary Metcalf of the navy, Secretary of War Wright and numerous army and navy officers, together with enthusiasts from every walk of life, gathered about the wizard of the air to grasp his hand.

Mr. Wright then invited Lieutenant Lahm to accompany him and the invitation was accepted.

With the two men, Mr. Wright and Lieutenant Lahm, in their places, the start was made, the machine apparently rising from the ground as easily with its increased burden as it had with only the inventor aboard.

As the machine completed the first round, the motor "skipped" on one cylinder but on the succeeding five trips there was no evidence that the engine built by the Wright brothers was overtaxed by the great strain imposed upon it. After the sixth lap a beautiful landing was made within 100 feet of the "aerial garage," where the machine is sheltered from the elements.

In the first flight in the evening the aeroplane circled the field fifty-five times at an estimated speed of 37 miles an hour. The power was not fully turned on in any of the flights. It is estimated that a distance of 38.5 miles was covered in the longest flight.

MANY INVITATIONS RECEIVED BY TAFT

Republican Candidate Asked to Make Several Speeches.

Cincinnati, Sept. 10.—Pending the arrangement by the Republican national committee of the details of Judge Taft's intended trip through the country, the plans for the Cincinnati campaign are being held in abeyance. But two appointments for delegations to visit the candidate here have been made for Sept. 17 and 22. Others will not be arranged until after the itinerary of the tour has been finally settled. Mr. Taft said that the committee was now working out the plan, and he expected to have it brought to him for his consideration before its final adoption. The announcement through the press that a "swing around the circuit" was to be made by the candidate, has resulted in a deluge of letters from various sections, inviting addresses. All such invitations are being referred to the national committee for consideration.

The one thing settled about the traveling campaign is that the candidate will be in Chicago, Oct. 7, where he will address the Lake-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterway association at the Auditorium. Mr. Taft some time ago responded to an inquiry on the subject by saying that should the invitation be extended formally, he would accept. Mr. Bryan has accepted an invitation to address the association on Oct. 9.

Judge Taft's first day in Cincinnati was taken advantage of by many of his personal, political and professional friends to pay their respects, and from the time he reached his newly established offices at the Sinton hotel until late in the afternoon he was constantly engaged with callers.

NOT A CASE OF SUICIDE.

Coroner's Jury Finds Unknown Person Killed Dr. Rustin.

Omaha, Sept. 10.—"Dr. Frederick Rustin came to his death by a pistol shot fired by a person unknown," was the verdict of the coroner's jury.

The jury recommends that Charles E. Davis, who was implicated by Mrs. Abbie C. Rice, be held, and that his conduct on the night of Sept. 1 be thoroughly investigated.

Davis was taken into custody and later was released on a bond signed by his brothers.

It was stated by Frederick H. Davis, brother of the man under arrest, that Charles E. Davis had been afflicted for about thirteen years with spells of insanity, and that they had come on him periodically since that time. He had on three different occasions been placed in sanitariums and on at least three occasions has been violently insane. Two weeks ago he showed signs of mental aberration, which was particularly noticeable in muttering to himself and queer actions. His brother at once sent him to Dr. Frederick Rustin for treatment and he was being treated by that physician at the time of Dr. Rustin's death.

Bobby—Pa, what's a press censor?

Pa—He is a man who knows more than he thinks other people should. Judge.

CHANGE IN WIND SAVES THE CITY

Flames Are Driven Away From Grand Marais, Minn.

RAIN EXTINGUISHES THE FIRES

Brings Relief to the Weary People of Hibbing and Virginia—Montegrins Start Fires Around Chisholm and Posses Are in Pursuit of the Incendiaries, Who May Be Lynched If Caught.

Duluth, Sept. 10.—After being menaced for days by forest fires that were creeping up in a wide semi-circle upon the helpless village, 100 miles from Duluth, Grand Marais is reported to be safe.

The wind, which had been driving the huge front of flame for hours toward the threatened village, subsided and a fresh breeze carried the menace in the opposite direction. The steamer Easton of the Booth line returned here from a trip up the north shore, bringing in the news that for a time, at least, Grand Marais is not in danger of being wiped out by fire. The subsidence of the wind has quieted the circling flames and only in a few places near the town are there serious conflagrations. A strong wind blowing toward the lake would once more imperil the town.

The Easton met the United States training ship Gopher with Adjutant General Wood on board. In command of a relief expedition ordered out by Governor Johnson, Captain Smith of the Easton said that there were no fires within half a mile of Grand Marais when the ship made port. The citizens were much relieved over the change in wind conditions and expressed the belief that they were safe.

A big fire is burning in the timber around Split Rock, a few miles from Grand Marais, and at many points on the north shore Captain Smith reported that flames can be seen from the shore.

Desperate Fight With Fire.

Maple Grove, two miles from Grand Marais, had a desperate fight with the fire that threatened Grand Marais with destruction, but finally ward off the danger.

Almost as great a menace as the fires is the band of Montegrins now roaming through the forests near Chisholm, on the Mesaba range, bent on revenge and destruction. The gang is possessed of a fiendish desire to aid the fire in its ghastly work, and already has made several attempts to fire the villages.

Following the firing of a tract of forest to the west of Chisholm, a gang of the Montegrins appeared in Brooklyn, a small hamlet on the outskirts of Hibbing, and attempted to fire several buildings. One of the gang had placed a quantity of shavings against a warehouse and was pouring coal oil on the stuff when discovered by a soldier. He escaped to the woods with his companions, and a man hunt is now on.

Authorities at Hibbing fear there will be a public lynching if any of the Montegrins are captured, and posses of citizens from Monroe location, Chisholm and Hibbing threaten to shoot the fugitives down on sight.

The fire started back of Chisholm by the Montegrins jumped the road, destroying two cottages. It was then checked and calm is now restored. With the exception of a guard the entire town is out hunting for the incendiaries.

Light rains at Hibbing and Virginia have partially quenched the forest fires in the vicinity of those places and the tired people are now resting from their weary fight with the flames.

PROCEEDINGS POSTPONED.

Contempt Case Against Labor Leaders Delayed.

Washington, Sept. 10.—The legal proceedings against President Samuel Gompers, Secretary Frank Morrison and John Mitchell of the American Federation of Labor, in which they were charged with contempt of the supreme court of the District of Columbia on account of acts and utterances appropos of the judgment of that court directing them to cease publishing the name of the Buck Stove and Range company in their "We Don't Patronize" list, were virtually postponed for two weeks after a brief hearing. Justice Gould of the supreme court presided.

The postponement was taken at the instance of counsel for the stove company in order to take testimony in the case and in opposition to the expressed wishes of Mr. Gompers and his associates.

Judge Alton B. Parker took an active part in presenting the defense of Messrs. Gompers, Morrison and Mitchell.

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"MICHAEL'S"

IS RECEIVED WITH SOLEMN SPLENDOR

Papal Legate Formally Welcomed in London.

London, Sept. 10.—With all the solemn splendor of the Roman Catholic church, Cardinal Vannutelli, the pope's legate, was formally received by the prelates who have gathered here for the Eucharistic congress over which he will preside. The reception took place in Westminster cathedral, which the Catholics of England erected at a great cost, but the interior of which is not yet completed.

Long before the arrival of the legate every seat in the cathedral, which is capable of accommodating 8,000 persons, was occupied. The galleries were crowded and in the streets thousands waited for hours to get a glimpse of the pope's representative. Cardinal Vannutelli, with the attending priests, walked from the archbishop's house, a block from the cathedral, through lines of cheering people, including hundreds of priests who came from almost every country in the world to attend the congress.

A fanfare of trumpets announced his arrival to those within the edifice and the immense congregation rose to greet him. On entering the church the papal legate put on his cardinal robes of brilliant scarlet, with a long train of the same color. He was received by Archbishop Bourne, the head of the Westminster diocese, who was arrayed in his pontifical robes and carried his pastoral staff. Having kissed the crucifix, Cardinal Vannutelli received an aspersory and sprinkled the bystanders with holy water.

He then took his place under a canopy of white silk heavily embroidered with gold and was escorted up the aisle to the steps of the altar.

On either side of the aisle stood fourteen archbishops in red and purple vestments, and twenty-two abbots and other prelates in their more sombre cassocks, while beside the altar to receive the legate were six cardinals, including Cardinal Gibbons, also robed in scarlet.

The service opened with the singing of the Versicle "Protector Noster," which was followed by the recitation of a collect by Archbishop Bourne. Cardinal Vannutelli having likewise said a collect, again took his seat before the altar, while the chaplain read the apostolic letters appointing Cardinal Vannutelli legate of the pope.

The legate then addressed the prelates, of whom there were a greater number present than have gathered in one place in England in centuries.

Archbishop Bourne replied, welcoming the papal legate in the name of the clergy and the laity of England.

The solemn benediction of the holy sacrament brought the impressive service to a close.

Burglar Commits Suicide.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 10.—Carl Sutherland, who shot and fatally wounded Captain of Police Auble, was captured and committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. Sutherland, it is alleged, had been caught in the act of committing a burglary and shot the officer when the latter attempted to arrest him.

CONNECTICUT REPUBLICANS

Nominate a State Ticket Headed by George L. Lilley for Governor.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 10.—A funny story having for its moral "Let Bygones Be Bygones," and a round of cheers for the whole ticket, national and state, brought to a close with unbounded enthusiasm the Republican state convention held in the Hyperion theater here. For six hours nearly 600 delegates and as many more spectators were under nervous tension waiting for political fireworks which did not materialize.

The ticket selected is headed by George L. Lilley of Waterbury for governor.

Save for the lieutenant governor ship the nominations were in most cases climaxes of months of the sharpest kind of political skirmishing. The big contest was that between Congressman Lilley, who brought about the inquiry into the Electric Boat company before a congressional committee last spring, and Lieutenant Governor Lake of Hartford.

The entire organization lined up behind Lilley in fulfillment of a pledge given two years ago, and Mr. Lake went down to defeat by a three to one vote. Governor Woodruff, who was desirous of being renominated on his record of business administration for the past two years, did not prove a factor in the contest.

APPROVED BY HITCHCOCK.

Findings of Committee in Contest in West Virginia.

New York, Sept. 10.—The involved political situation in West Virginia, where the factions led respectively by Arnold Scherr, now serving a second term as auditor, and Charles R. Swisher, secretary of state, have each been claiming recognition as the only regular and authorized representative of the regular Republican organization, was cleared by the recognition as regular of the convention presided over by Congressman Joseph H. Gaines, leader of the Swisher forces. The fight had been carried up to Chairman Frank Hitchcock of the national Republican committee, who appointed National Committeemen W. L. Ward, T. C. Dupont and Charles F. Brooker a sub-committee to hear both sides and pass on the respective merits of the claims advanced.

Chairman Hitchcock has approved the findings of the sub-committee.

Balloonist Fatally Injured.

New York, Sept. 10.—In view of 7,000 persons at the Richmond county fair held at Dongan Hills, Staten Island, William Coby, a youthful balloonist of Milwaukee, fell from an exploded balloon and was probably mortally injured. A baby lion, which Coby had taken up with him, also fell, but landed on the prostrate form of the aeronaut and escaped unhurt.

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alists and Theorists?
(From Sherman's Speech of Acceptance.)

The overshadowing issue of the campaign really is: Shall the administration of President Roosevelt be approved, shall a party of demonstrated capacity in administrative affairs be continued in power, shall the reins of government be placed in experienced hands, or do the people prefer to trust their destinies to an aggregation of experimental malcontents and theorists, whose only claim to a history is a party name they pilfered?

With a record of four decades of wise legislation; two score years of faithful administration; offering its fulfilled pledges as a guaranty of its promises for the future, the Republican party appeals to the people and, with full confidence in their wisdom and patriotism, awaits the rendition of the November verdict.

Burglar Was Too Late.

We owe an apology and an explanation to the burglar who opened our office window at the week end, sought the drawer of the cashier—and was disappointed. We do not like to appear inhospitable, but on Friday night we all of us do our own thieving, and there is nothing left for visitors. Any other night we will try to give another sort of surprise.—London Chronicle.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1908

Sept. 10 in History.

1584—Sir Humphrey Gilbert drowned off the Azores; born 1539.

1797—Mrs. Godwin (Mary Wollstonecraft), famous innovator in social matters, died; born 1759.

1813—Perry's victory on Lake Erie.

1845—Judge Joseph Story, eminent American jurist and justice of the United States supreme court, died; born 1779.

1904—Treaty embodying the terms demanded by England signed at Lassa, Tibet.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:14, rises 5:32; moon rises 6:49 p. m.; moon's age 15 days; 11 p. m., planet Mercury at descending node, crossing sun's path downward; sun's declination 4 degrees 56 minutes north of celestial equator.

THE contest for the nomination for judge of the district court in this district has been a spirited one, but on the whole clean and dignified. It is now drawing to an end and notwithstanding all that has been said one way and the other as to endorsement from various sources, the fact still remains undisputed that B. F. Wright the candidate from Park Rapids has held from start to finish the unanimous support of his own county and at this writing he has the support of a great majority of the lawyers of the district for the nomination. This certainly speaks well for him, for there is no question but that his people and the lawyers are in a position to know.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Awnings! Awnings! D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf

Mrs. Sam Walker left this morning for St. Paul.

Archie Purdy left for Minneapolis this afternoon.

Dr. Frank Sycora went to Staples on the noon train.

Live lobsters and fresh oysters at the Ideal Cafe. 79tf

G. R. Snell of N. E. Brainerd, left for St. Paul today.

Dr. E. K. Copper went to Walker to preach there tonight.

Heber Hartley, of Cass Lake, was in the city yesterday.

Have you tried the Security State Bank? 75tf

A. K. Luken went to Minneapolis on business this morning.

Olaf Johnston of Pillager was in town between trains today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Russell returned from Minneapolis last night.

Murallo—the sanitary wall finish, in all colors. D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf

Dr. Courtney left yesterday afternoon on the train for Duluth.

Gus Graham went to St. Paul this morning on business matters.

Does baby need a go cart? We have what you want, D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf
Walter Smith went down on the morning train to the twin cities.

A high school dance will be given at Walker's hall on Friday evening.

Mrs. A. Fort and daughter left yesterday for Deerwood to spend a few days.

Deposit your savings with the Security State Bank. We will take good care of you.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Y. Annette are entertaining Mrs. W. H. Dahlgren of Northfield.

Mrs. C. A. Rose returned from St. Paul last evening after a week's visit in that city.

Store your stoves and household goods with D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf

Milo Young, of Royalton, is in town looking after his political interests around this city.

Don't forget the ice cream social at the home of Mrs. John Mutch, on 5th street South tonight.

Lessons in music will be resumed at St. Cecilia's hall, beginning with the first week of September. 80tf

Miss Irma Johnson came up from St. Paul today, after having spent an extended visit in that place.

Mayor R. R. Wise and wife left on the noon train for Fargo, N. D., to be gone a few days on matters of business.

D. M. Clark & Co., the largest installment house in the city. Goods sold on easy payment. 61tf

Col. J. C. Congdon returned yesterday from Toledo, Ohio, where he attended the National G. A. R. Encampment.

Frank Fisher and family left on the noon train today for Jamestown, N. D., where they will make their future home.

Jacob Schmidt's bottle beer is delicious. We have the agency. Order a case. Telephone 164 John Coates Liquor Co. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luken came up on last night's train after a stay in Minneapolis and St. Paul during the past two weeks.

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational church will hold a business meeting at Mrs. A. E. Losey's Friday evening at 7:30

A competent chemist tests every ingredient entering into Hunt's Perfect Extracts and Baking Powder—always reliable.

A car repair corps consisting of 10 men from the N. P. shops, left for Staples to do some needed repairs in that place.

Security State Bank offers to depositors every facility which their balances, business and responsibility warrants.

Frank Andrews left with his mother, Mrs. Stewart, for Lisa Buehler, Washington, on the noon train to take up business there.

Miss Mabel Rogers and Robt. McClean of Walker, went up on the M. & I., after a couple of day's visit with friends in town.

Miss E. McCrea of St. Paul, returned to her home this afternoon after having spent a week at the residence of Thomas Halliday.

Mrs. C. J. Buzzetti, of Montana, and Renzo Collins of Nevada, came on the early morning train to attend the funeral of Pete Dennis.

James T. Spencer, of West Brainerd, an old time resident of this city, is lying very ill at his home. Doubts are expressed as to his recovery.

A coffee fest and sale of fancy articles will be held at the Swedish M. E. church, Monday, Sept. 22nd. Tickets 25 cents.

The Presbyterian Home and Foreign Missionary society will meet with Mrs. A. M. Opsahl, 624 South 10th street, Friday, Sept. 11th, at 2:30 p. m.

Rev. T. G. Galbraith, of Cass Lake, who has spent a couple of days in town taking examinations under Rev. Chas. Fox Davis, went home today on the M. & I.

There is nothing that gives one the support, the assurance and independence of position as a bank account with the Security State Bank.

Miss Olive Burly, formerly a resident of this city, but now of Kansas City, left on this afternoon's train for the above place after spending a month with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harmer have been entertaining Richard Harmer of Northfield, and his son Hosea from Mankato. They returned on this afternoon train.

Attention sportsmen. We have the best and latest in guns, rifles, and ammunition. Guns to rent. D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf

R. B. Warner, son of County Attorney Warner, left for Columbus, Ohio, yesterday, as a delegate to the National Convention of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen.

Mr. Joseph Knerr, a car repairer of 720 4th Ave. N. E., died yesterday and will be buried from the Catholic church at 8 a. m. tomorrow. He leaves a widow and seven children.

Security State Bank receives money on deposit subject to check, giving in return the privileges and conveniences of a checking account and guaranteeing absolute safety for your funds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Casey left yesterday noon for Grand Forks, N. D., to spend a week's vacation visiting the parents of Mr. Casey. Their daughter Virginia accompanied them.

The Ladies of Iola Council, D. of P., will give an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. John Mutch, 618 5th St. South, Thursday afternoon and evening, Sept. 10. All are cordially invited. Tickets 15 cents. 82tf

Rev. J. H. Darnell, of Worthington, Minn., is staying at the home of the Rev. Abramson. The family are also enjoying a visit from Mrs. Bert Hoyt, a relative from Barnesville, Minn.

Mrs. E. E. Greeno is staying with Mrs. E. K. Copper for a few days. She is staying by the bedside of her young son who was recently operated on for appendicitis at St. Joseph's hospital.

The best roofing for the money. Amate! D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf

The ladies of the Foreign Mission society of the Methodist Episcopal church will serve a 15 cent supper at the residence of Mrs. O. Skauge, on Friday evening. The supper will be served from 5:30 until 7:30.

Rhone makes a specialty of putting rubber tires on baby buggies. 75tf

FOR SALE—Four foot lath mill wood, delivered to any part of city. Office phone 187, mill phone 43. Wm. Wood.

R. L. Russell and his brother, George Russell of Merrifield, drove into town this morning with team, having driven all the way from Fargo, N. D., leaving there on Saturday evening. They left for Merrifield this afternoon.

Mrs. C. E. Tennis left on the noon train for South Tacoma to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Bruce J. Parker. She will have as company Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Stewart, who are leaving Brainerd to make Morey Island, Tacoma, their permanent home.

The best in fruit jars. Schram's Automatic Sealers. D. M. Clark & Co. 61tf

Most all the members of the new charter commission were on hand last evening and were hard at it getting the charter into presentable condition. The worthy gentlemen have been constantly at it for nearly five months and expect to complete it very soon.

DEERWOOD NOTES

Miss Olga Wetzel went to the state fair on Thursday noon, returning Monday, Sept. 7th.

Miss Jessie Whitten leaves on Saturday for Brainerd, where she will teach her same school nine miles south of Brainerd.

Mr. Graham and wife are boarding at the "Inn."

Bernie Taylor left the first of the week for Detroit, Mich., where he will again travel for the Burroughs Adding machine.

Miss Eugena Greenhagen is working at the "Inn" for C. J. Rathvon and wife.

A baby girl was born to Mrs. Anton Forgeson on Tuesday, Sept. 8. Mother and baby are both getting along well.

School opened on Tuesday, Sept. 8, with 30 pupils in the higher department and 32 in the primary.

The Methodist Aid held their first meeting after the summer vacation at the home of their president, Mrs. Harry Patterson.

Mrs. Herman Ringham, of Cedar Lake brought in several cases of honey last week for sale.

Miss Inga Melvick, who has been staying at Mrs. Barton's hospital during her sick spell was well enough to go home Sunday afternoon.

Fred Winquist brought in several jars of lovely dairy butter on Wednesday morning. It is for sale at C. E. Benson's.

The summer people are leaving gradually as most of them must get back before school commences.

Don't forget the band concert Saturday evening, Sept. 12.

Carlson Brothers are building a large warehouse across from the blacksmith shop.

Oscar Erickson, our shoemaker is building a residence across from Wickstrom's carpenter shop.

Rumor has it that there is to be a tin shower on a certain young lady. Wonder who it is?

Charley Engman and wife are visiting at the home of his father, John Engman and family.

Sheriff Erickson was a Deerwood visitor last week.

Miss Annie Ringham of Cedar Lake, is going to work for Mrs. Paul K. Wetzel this winter.

Dr. Sewall and family are boarding at the "Tourist's Home."

The Peckham family moved back to Superior on Monday, after spending the summer at the cottage on Serpent lake.

Mrs. Wm. Harms was a Deerwood visitor on Wednesday last.

Dr. Sewall was called to attend Mrs. Peter Behlmer on Saturday.

NORTH LONG LAKE

Jim Selleck is spending a few days at North Long Lake calling on old friends.

Angus Murry and sons are busy this week putting up hay on Mr. Richards place.

Lyman White spent Sunday last with his four Hughey cousins.

School commenced last week with Miss Jennie K. Nelson, of Brainerd, as teacher.

Mrs. R. B. Thompson is enjoying a visit with her sister Maude.

ROMAN FLOUR

WILL BE ON SALE

NEXT SATURDAY

ALL GROCERS

Mrs. George Thompson was over to see Mrs. John Cameron who fell one day last week breaking her hip and receiving other severe injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Diners and baby were calling on Mrs. Liners parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thelander, last Sunday.

The Larkin Soap Club met at Mrs. R. B. Thompson's this week.

Mrs. John Peterson and Miss Jean Gibb were calling on Mrs. Claude Wheeler, and also Carrie Peterson, of Livingston, Montana, last Sunday afternoon.

J. E. Hughey will commence grinding feed on Saturday, September 19th, and will grind every Saturday thereafter.

Mrs. H. C. Hughey left last Thursday morning for Berkeley, Cal., to join Mr. Hughey who has been there the past eighteen months. They will visit friends and relatives at Berkeley, and will then leave for their return trip home by the way of Seattle and Tacoma to visit friends and relatives there for a few days. They expect to arrive in Brainerd about October 30th.

Mrs. Joe Ackerson and baby are visiting Mrs. Thompson and family a few days this week.

Mr. John Gibb returned from Minneapolis last Saturday where he has been visiting his daughter and taking in the State Fair. One thing that attracted Mr. Gibb's attention at the fair was the horses which he says had necks as large as a man's body.

Mrs. R. B. Thomson enjoyed a few days visit with a friend from Deerwood, a Miss Nelson, last week.

COUNTRY COJINS.

ESDON ETCHINGS.

Mrs. I. H. Flint died Monday, Sept. 7 at her home. Her death was quite a shock to her friends. She had been feeble all winter and summer, but was not considered dangerously ill until a week before her death. Her husband and son are left to mourn her loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Jabez have been enjoying a visit from Mrs. Augusta Greunhagen and daughter Pearl, of Minneapolis.

The Esdon school began last Tuesday, with Mrs. Cora Cook as teacher.

Mrs. Ada Die began teaching at the White school house last Tuesday.

Helen Hammett is home from Bay Lake.

C. Avery, who has been on a visit to Henning, Minn., returned Monday evening.

Miss Hazel Maghan began her school in the Hunt district last Tuesday.

DAME RUMOR.

High Finance.

"I have a bookkeeper in my office who is evidently destined to be one of our future captains of finance, all right," a broker remarked the other day. "He is a good clerk, but of late he has been late several times, and I had to call him down."

"You have been late three times already this week," I said. "What is the trouble—oversleeping yourself?"

"No, sir, and I am very sorry," he answered. "I will try not to let it happen again. It has been due to the fact that I have been walking to the office instead of riding."

"Think the exercise does you good?" I asked him.

"No, sir; rather a matter of economy," he explained. "Even small sums count to me, you see, and I have already saved enough to have my shoes resoled."—Harper's Weekly.

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Here we are again

Hunting season in only a few days away and game is plenty. You know where to go to get Guns, Ammunition and Toggery. We have the biggest stock in the Northwest to select from. Don't forget us.

A few lawn mowers, hammocks and ice cream freezers at cost.

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Brainerd, Minn.

BRAINERD FAMILY WILL BENEFIT

Probably by Receiving Aid From
the Carnegie Hero
Emergency Fund

FATHER LOST LIFE TO SAVE

Another---Mayor Wise with Great
Zeal Urges Claims of Un-
fortunate Family

The people of Brainerd will be glad to learn that there is a possibility of the Carnegie Emergency Fund, a fund put aside for helping families in destitute circumstances, particularly the children, reaching a family here.

It will be remembered that last June a drowning fatality occurred at Rice lake, in which August Schultz lost his life in rescuing Mrs. August Woerner, while they were, with others, enjoying a steamboat outing. Mr. Schultz left a wife and four children, the youngest having been born since Mr. Schultz lost his life in his successful effort of saving Mrs. Woerner's life, and the oldest being about five years.

Mayor R. R. Wise, when hearing of the sadness and worthiness of the case of Mrs. Schultz and young children, immediately put himself in communication with some influential and wealthy friends in New York who were in touch with Carnegie fund which was established by Mr. Andrew Carnegie for necessitous cases, and as the result of considerable correspondence one of the four inspectors, Mr. H. S. Harris, was sent to Brainerd yesterday and is in town at present looking into the matter.

Just what the result will be we are not able to tell until Mr. Harris makes his final report to headquarters, but it is hoped that the report will be favorable and that Mrs. Schultz and her needy children may become the beneficiaries of this worthy fund. Mayor Wise informs THE DISPATCH reporter that the fund when given cares for the training, clothing, education, etc., of children until they reach their major years, which will be a great boon to that family who has been robbed of its bread-winner and who gave his life for another.

A Sure-enough Knocker

J. C. Goodwin, of Reidsville, N. C., says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure-enough knocker for ulcers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds. Not even a scar remained." Guaranteed for piles, sores, burns, etc. 25c at H. P. Dunn's drug store.

Bronzed and Healthy

Wallace Lind, formerly a Brainerd boy, graduate of our high school, but now a midshipman at the Annapolis naval academy, came to Brainerd last evening on a three week's leave of absence. Mr. Lind is a full fledged Middy in Uncle Sam's navy, and but a few days before leaving Annapolis returned from his first long cruise on the Atlantic seaboard. Mr. Lind looks every inch a sailor, and says that our navy offers magnificent opportunities for young men of the right stamp, physically and mentally and predicts that the American navy is bound to be enlarged in a few years. He is staying with his parents in Southeast Brainerd.

How to Get Strong

P. J. Daly, of 1247 W. Congress St., Chicago, tells of a way to become strong. He says: "My mother who is old and very feeble, is deriving so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I that feel it's my duty to tell those who need a tonic and strengthening medicine about it. In my mother's case a marked gain in flesh has resulted, insomnia has been overcome, and she is steadily growing stronger." Electric Bitters quickly remedy stomach, liver and kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at Dunn's drug store, 50c.

Five Strong Reasons

Why painting in the fall is best

1. In the fall, the surface is thoroughly dry. During the spring a surface which needs repainting is sure to contain moisture and dampness or frost, and it cannot be successfully painted until it has thoroughly dried out.
2. When the wood is dry, it absorbs more of the paint; the paint penetrates deeper into the wood, therefore gets a firmer hold on it, giving the paint coating greater tenacity for holding qualities.
3. Paint cannot be as successfully applied in damp, cloudy or unsettled weather as in warm, sunny weather. In the fall the weather is more settled and uniform and is warmer, therefore it is an excellent time for painting.
4. A house needs its protective coat of paint more in the winter months than at any other time. A house in need of painting should never be allowed to go over the winter without this protection.
5. It is easier to keep the winter's moisture and dampness out by applying a coat of paint in the fall, when the surface is dry, than it is to get moisture or dampness out of the wood if you want to apply a coat of paint in the spring.

MORAL—Paint in the fall and be sure of best results by using

Minnesota Linseed Oil Co. Paint—\$1.65 gal.

Slipp-Gruenhagen Co.

CONDUCTOR SAVES HIS WIFE

Rushes Into Burning Car and Carries
Her to Safety—Also
Another Lady

The Duluth Herald contains the following concerning the burning of the sleeper on the N. P. at Staples Tuesday morning:

"Mrs. J. H. O'Brien of Twenty-fifth avenue west, was a passenger in the Northern Pacific sleeping car, which burned at Staples early Tuesday morning, and owes her life to the bravery of her husband, Conductor J. H. O'Brien who rushed through the smoke and fire to save the lives of his passengers.

"Conductor O'Brien rescued his wife and another woman and made a desperate attempt to reach Mrs. Joseph Gibb, of Lisbon, N. D., who lost her life from suffocation in the burning car.

"Knowing his wife was sleeping in the car, Mr. O'Brien's first thought was of her safety and he carried her from the burning car in her night clothes. She left her clothing and jewelry in her berth.

"As soon as he had brought Mrs. O'Brien to fresh air and to safety, the conductor rushed back into the sleeper again to save other occupants.

"Grasping a woman who was screaming with fright and beseeching someone to save her, Conductor O'Brien started to grope his way back with her. But the women in her great fright seemed to have lost her reason and clung desperately to the curtains of the berth.

"She held on so tightly that her deliverer was obliged to wrench away the curtains by sheer force before he could carry her out.

"The curtain incident delayed Mr. O'Brien and gave the fire a chance to make further progress so that when he sought to re-enter the car to get Mrs. Gibb he was driven back by the intense smoke. Mrs. Gibb was suffocated in her berth.

"It is not known how the fire started, but it is thought to have originated from a defective lamp."

A Paying Investment

Mr. John White, of 38 Highland Ave., Houlton, Maine, says: "Have been troubled with a cough every winter and spring. Last winter I tried many advertised remedies but the cough continued until I bought a 50c bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery; before that was half gone, the cough was all gone. This winter the same happy result has followed; a few doses once more banished the annual cough. I am now convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best of all cough and lung remedies." Sold under guarantee at H. P. Dunn's drug store. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Former Brainerd Resident Loses Foot
in Railroad Accident in the Yards
at Duluth

Fred W. Brewer, at one time a resident of Brainerd and well known and respected in this city, met with a frightful accident in the Duluth train yards yesterday. Mr. Brewer, who is a freight conductor, according to the reports received here was taking a ride on the pilot and somehow lost his balance falling beneath the engine. The news received by the trainmen here is to the effect that one foot was cut off and also the other leg above the knee.

Pippen-La Vigne

The marriage of George Pippin to Alice La Vigne, was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage, Rev. Charles Fox Davis officiating. The young couple are from Walker, Minn., and were accompanied to this city by Miss Mabel E. Rogers and Robert E. McClean, both of the same city. The short ring service of the church was read and the event witnessed by a few friends. The young couple left last evening for Minneapolis, thence to Iowa to be gone a month, finally making their home in Walker.

ELECTRIC WIRING NOT THE CAUSE

Supt. Baker Denies Emphatically
that Poor Wiring Caused
Reilly Fire

SAYS HE CAN PROVE IT

Loss by the Fire to Clothing of
Mr. Moody will be
Considerable

THE DISPATCH is in receipt of the following communication from Supt. Baker, of the electric light plant:

Sept. 11th, 1908.

EDITOR DAILY DISPATCH.

I see by yesterday's issue that the fire at the Reilly block was reported by some one as caused by defective wiring, and I wish to state that I personally went and examined all the wires and lights in the building and found them all in working order. Even in the one in the closet the fuses had not been blown, and it was turned off. But the globe or lamp had been broken by the heat of the fire, and I claim that the fire was not caused by electric light wires in any way, shape or form, and more than that I can prove it, and I would suggest that it would be well for people before making such remarks to investigate and know what they were talking about, and be able to prove and demonstrate such was the case; for it does not help to lessen the rate of insurance. And I further wish to state that the plant had been shut down all day up to 3 p. m.

Yours respectfully,
RUSSELL BAKER,
Superintendent.

Although the building was not damaged much by yesterday's fire in the Reilly block, the loss will be considerable. Mr. and Mrs. Moody and daughter had all their clothing stored in the closet, which was all destroyed or so badly damaged as to have no value. Some lace curtains, a rug and other articles were also damaged beside a bed room suite and other furniture. Mr. Moody places his loss between six and seven hundred dollars, which is fully covered by insurance. The damage to the building is estimated at about \$50.

Delicious Banana Cream

This recipe is highly recommended by one of our correspondents. Try it for dessert tomorrow. Peel five large bananas, rub smooth with five teaspoonsful of sugar. Add one teaspoon sweet cream beaten to a stiff froth, then add one 10c package of Lemon JELL-O dissolved in 1½ cups boiling water. Pour into mold and when cold garnish with candied cherries. Served with whipped cream, or any good pudding sauce. JELL-O is sold by all Grocers at 10c a package.

PLEASANT SOCIAL FUNCTION

Silver Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob
Martin Schultz Appropriately
Celebrated

One of the most delightful social events of recent occurrence in our city was the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Martin Schulz at their pleasant home at 315 4th Ave. N. E., on Tuesday evening, Sept. 8th. About 50 of their most intimate friends were invited, the occasion being the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Schulz were assisted in receiving by their four daughters, Misses Emma, Theresa, Alma and Minnie. The parlor and dining room were tastefully decorated in flower foliage and silver decorations.

After hearty congratulations had been extended to Mr. and Mrs. Schulz the company was most agreeably entertained by several choice piano selections beautifully rendered by Miss Theresa, and a group of readings given most acceptably by Mr. Waldron Holden. Mrs. Rossella Johnson sang in her usual sweet and charming voice and manner several fine selections.

There was a fine display of gifts in sterling silver and cut glass from the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Schulz, some of whom were not able to be present. The groom's gift was an elegant Flemish oak book case. Refreshments deliciously prepared were daintily served. The out of town guests were Mr. August Koellner, father of Mrs. Schulz, Mrs. Hasemeister, Mrs. Koellner and Master Elmer, all of Milwaukee.

They Take the Kinks Out

"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for many years, with increasing satisfaction. They take the kinks out of stomach, liver and bowels, without fuss or friction," says N. H. Brown, of Pittsfield, Vt. Guaranteed satisfactory at H. P. Dunn's drug store. 25c tss

Advertised Letters

The following advertised letters at the postoffice, Brainerd, Minn., Sept. 11, 1908. When called for say "advertised."

Adam Mrs Emma	Doughton Edd
Berggrain Mrs G	Kereles Jacob
Berg C	King J
Blackmore Nettie	Mason Geo W
Christoffson Mrs A	Schiller Frank
Clark Eugene	Sutton C E
Fuller Fred	Sullivan Dan
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THE BEST FOR
BILIOUSNESS
AND KIDNEYS.

REFUNDING BONDS RECEIVED

Bonds on Which City Defaulted Last
January Will Now
be Paid

Judd Wright, city treasurer, received today from the state auditor the refunding bonds amounting to \$40,000 to pay the electric light bonds which were due here January 1st, 1908. This fact cuts down the interest 2 per cent from the 6 per cent which the city is now paying saving the taxpayers several hundred dollars.

Notice

All members of White Sand lodge, M. B. A., are requested to meet at Elk's hall at 7:15 Friday morning to attend the funeral of Joseph Kner.

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

Rival Sections of the Y. M. C. A. Will
Contest for Honor of Securing
Most New Members

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. met last evening in special session to consider a challenge issued to them by the Physical Section Committee to take one side of the membership campaign. The challenge had been signed by the members of the committee and is backed by strong interest and enthusiasm, so the board accepted the challenge.

The physical section committee will be officially notified and then the organization of the campaign will be immediately entered into by both sides and completed so as to launch an enthusiastic group of workers sometime next week.

The success of this campaign will mean the determination of the future of this association.

Notice

As there is rabies in and around the city no dogs will be allowed to run at large unless properly muzzled. These orders will be rigidly enforced until further notice.

Dated, Brainerd, Minn., Sept. 4, 1908.

78tf R. A. BEISE, Health Officer.

A DOUBTFUL ENDORSEMENT

In the Campaign for Nomination
for District Judge

From the Bemidji Daily Pioneer.

One of those surprising moves peculiar to the winding up of political campaigns has just appeared in the contest for the nomination for judge in this district.

Mr. Wright of Park Rapids has had the rather unusual good fortune to have the unanimous endorsement of the republicans of his own county all the way through the campaign, while Mr. Thwing of Grand Rapids has, as appears from his own campaign literature and newspaper articles, labored under very strong opposition at home.

Now in the very last days of the campaign, possibly hoping to make it work as a surprise to the opposition, the supporters of Mr. Thwing have had



B. F. WRIGHT
of Park Rapids, Minn.

printed and will no doubt circulate throughout the district by mail, a letter designed by Geo. W. Holland, of Brainerd, endorsing the candidacy of Mr. Thwing and incidentally speaking a good word for the democratic-independent candidate.

No one would think of denying the right of every person to endorse in any manner the candidate of his choice for any office, but when it is done in this way, at this time and at such expense, when a short newspaper interview would accomplish the purpose, there can certainly be no reason why the public at large should not have the one right to scrutinize the act for motives and results.

Judge Holland, as is well known in all the older settled portions of the district is now and always has been a staunch, rock-ribbed democrat, and never dabbles in politics, except for himself alone or some other democratic candidate. And in this instance quite a reasonable presumption is raised that the endorsement is rather more of a move in behalf of the independent candidate, who is a democrat, than to really help Mr. Thwing. This presumption is the more reasonable in view of the fact that in Brainerd, where Judge Holland lives, Mr. Thwing is not strong

DR. PRICE'S WHEAT FLAKE FOOD

So nourishing that persons could live a long
period of time upon nothing but this food. No
breakfast food as perfect.

and is regarded by the democrats as the easier man to beat.

Moreover, while we do not know how extensive an acquaintance Mr. Holland may have with Mr. Thwing either as a man or lawyer upon which to base his endorsement, yet it is true that Judge Holland was defeated for the bench by Judge McClenahan eight years ago retiring from active practice, while Mr. Thwing didn't begin practice in Grand Rapids until a year later or seven years ago.

However, it is well known that in the campaign of eight years ago, B. F. Wright, of Park Rapids, the other candidate for the republican nomination and against whom this endorsement is expected to act, was a strong and active supporter of Judge McClenahan.

As to the result of such an endorsement, it is very liable to be ineffective one way or the other, and indeed be beneficial to Mr. Wright rather than detrimental. The fact that it is put forth at this late day, and in a somewhat secret manner, creates a suspicion that does not go well with a judicial campaign.

The same is true of any other endorsement. If it is worth anything at all, why keep it under cover until the last days of the race?

Legal Reporter.

"Gentlemen of the jury," said the pompous lawyer, assuming his most imposing mien, "I once sat upon the judge's bench in Iowa."

"Where was the judge?" quickly inquired the opposing attorney, and the pompous gentleman found the thread of his argument hopelessly entangled.—Detroit Free Press.

Offensive.

"No, I don't like that woman," declared Nuxed.

"And why not?"

"She's too blamed sorry for my wife to suit my ideas of what's requisite and necessary."

Gored to Death by a Bull.

Minneapolis, Sept. 10.—To be gored to death by a savage bull which he had gone to feed was the fate of Peter X. Jensen, an old man seventy-four years old who was boarding with C. E. Holden of this city.

Over a Hundred Years Old.

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 10.—Mrs. Sallie Ruthford is dead here at the age of 113 years. She was born in Middleton, Ky., in 1795, and had never experienced a week's sickness in her life.

Cholera in St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—The fact that Asiatic cholera exists in St. Petersburg has been established beyond doubt. The body of the woman who died in this city Tuesday, supposedly from this disease, has been examined and the bacilli of cholera found.

Hard Coughs

We publish the complete formulas of all our medicines. We are proud of them. We have nothing to conceal; no secrets to hide.

If your doctor fully endorses your taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for your hard cough, then buy it and use it. If he does not, then do not take a single dose of it. He knows all about this splendid medicine for coughs and colds. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

M. K. SWARTZ M. K. SWARTZ

Having had an opportunity to get a consignment of high grade statuary in advance of the season at a price to give to the public at exceptional values, I will invite you all to call and see this beautiful line and learn the very low price which is only about half their real values.

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or,

Does it show an otherwise handsome face, of perfect contour, utterly ruined by a coarse-pored skin, marred by humiliating blotches and wrinkles?

If it does it is simply the fault of your own neglect! It is easily within the reach of every woman to possess a pure, elastic skin with clean, fine pores, radiant with the youthful glow of a magnificent complexion.

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Her Blunder.

Him—And I'm the only man you ever loved?

Her—Yes, dearest.

Him—May I speak to your father?

Her—I suppose you'd better.

Him—I wonder how he'll take it.

Her—Oh, I never can tell about dad.

He treats some of the boys very nicely, and at others he gets fearfully angry, and—why, what's the matter, George?—Cleveland Leader.

Right
Get at the
bottom of the Baking
Powder Question.

Buy a can of Calumet today. Put it through the most rigid baking test that you know. If it does not fully come up to your standard; if the baking is not just as good or better—lighter, more evenly raised, more delicious and wholesome, take it back to the grocer and get your money. Calumet is the only strictly high-grade baking powder selling at a moderate cost. Don't accept a substitute. Insist upon Calumet—and get it.

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Movement to Conserve Supply of Natural Moisture.

WATERWAY CONTROL URGED.

Professor McGee Says Co-operation of Congress and States in This Work Would Add to the Nation's Wealth. Our Annual Rainfall Amazing.

"Two hundred trillion cubic feet of water on an average falls on the surface of the United States every year. This startling statement was made by Dr. W. J. McGee, secretary of the inland waterways commission and an expert connected with the bureau of soils of the department of agriculture.

This is not a haphazard statement on the part of one whose original research has made his name familiar to scientists the whole world over, but was made in the course of an interview which had for its primary object a better knowledge of the conservation of water and its uses for the benefit of mankind.

"Two hundred trillion cubic feet of water," said Professor McGee, "is to the average mind but two and a lot of ciphers. To be more explicit, it equals about ten Mississippi, and that volume of water is the entire basis of our prosperity.

"The United States has an area of 3,600,000 square miles, but that area could be cut directly in twain, and with the same amount of rainfall we could sustain the same population that we have today, conduct the same enterprises and raise the same products, a condition which I do not believe most people appreciate. We know very well, if we stop to consider, that the market price of any commodity is dependent on the water supply. We buy land in the eastern half of the United States and say that there are so many acres in this parcel or in that, but in reality we buy water. This is fundamental. Water is the first of our resources. It is the natural solvent. It is power, fertility, everything. And, being fundamental, values begin with the water supply.

"With the ten Mississippi falling upon the land of the United States every year, two Mississippi run off. Thus one-fifth of the waterfall from the heavens flows into the sea. Of the eight Mississippi remaining about five Mississippi are absorbed, passing off into the air, to be precipitated again and again. A fraction in part passes into the earth and slowly reaches the oceans, while another fraction is consumed, passing into chemical combinations, such as plant growth, etc.

"What we want to do is to minimize the waste of water and maximize the benefits which must accrue to the citizens and country by proper conservation of water supply. If we so control the water that the rivers shall flow in uniform stage we will solve the problem of inland navigation and make the United States richer by a thousand per cent than it is today. In order to do this we must equalize the run of the streams at the heads of the rivers, and this may be done by dams and reservoirs and scientific cultivation of the soil along the courses of both streams and rivers. The levees of the lower Mississippi have done a magnificent work, but the prevention of floods is better far than all the levees in the world.

"What we want to do is to get back to nature in dealing with water, first to prevent floods, and, second, to compel the water to run clear and pure. It is a fact that each year the rivers of the mainland of the United States pour into the sea a thousand million tons of richest soil matter in the form of suspended sediment, an impost greater than all our land taxes combined and a commensurate injury to commerce in the lower rivers, which are rendered capricious and difficult of control by the unstable load.

"The difference in the power value alone between controlled and uncontrolled streams would in ten years pay the entire cost of stream control in the United States. And this, coupled with the billion dollars' loss every year through soil erosion, due to floods, would construct a comprehensive system of water control in the United States.

"It seems to me, in view of these statements, that congress should authorize the control over the waters in

order that this wealth might contribute a thousandfold to man's happiness and prosperity. Both the federal government and the states have shrunk from assuming control over inland waters because they have been fearful of invading each other's rights. What we should aim to do is to coordinate the work on the principle of the greatest good to the greatest number for the longest time, and a comprehensive policy, such as is urged by the national rivers and harbors congress, toward the navigable waters of the nation would bring untold prosperity and add immeasurably to the nation's wealth."

DENIES THAT BRYAN "COULD DO NO HARM."

Congressman Burke Says Office of President is Infinitely More Powerful Than Congress.

Congressman James Francis Burke, of Pittsburgh, in an address on "The Powers of the President," says:

"The American people can make no greater mistake than to elect Mr. Bryan on the assumption that he can do no harm in the face of an adverse Senate. As between the executive and legislative departments of the government, the former has infinitely greater power to rule and ruin than the latter.

"Mr. Taft and Mr. Bryan are wholly different types of men. Each possesses a strong individual character, which would certainly assert itself in the White House. What either of these men would do during a four years' term in the White House is causing as much anxiety among thoughtful Americans as the mere matter of election alone.

"As a disturber of moneys the President is without a rival in the world. Through the agencies under his control he will this year disburse a billion dollars, showing the great things we are doing in addition to the unparalleled list of the world's achievements.

"In view of the fact that during the fifteen years of Bryan leadership the States controlled by his party have decreased from 23 to 12, the number of Senators from 48 to 31, the number of Representatives in Congress from 220 to 164, and in that time the Democratic party was in control of the ground, whereas it is now, as a consequence of his teachings, a hopelessly heterogeneous mass of Populist elements, the American people can see little prospects of a constructive policy if Mr. Bryan should succeed."

LABOR WORLD FOR TAFT.

Characterizes Him as True Friend of the Workingman.

(From the Concord (N. H.) Monitor.)

The Labor World comes out strongly in its advocacy of Mr. Taft. It characterizes him a true friend of labor and declares that the unfair attacks of Mr. Gompers will have little or no effect in alienating from him the labor world. It says: "That Secretary Taft is a true friend of labor is certain, and all the untrue, ungenerous, vicious attacks that President Gompers or any one else may make on him cannot prevent him from continuing to be the friend of the wage worker. Organized labor cannot afford to have itself split up into factions on this political issue. That President Gompers is wrong in forcing this most odious fight is certain, and intelligent wage workers will certainly come to this conclusion."

Campaign Funds.

"We welcome Mr. Taft to this advanced ground," said Mr. Bryan in one of his numerous interviews since the Denver convention. The ground referred to is Mr. Taft's statement that no campaign contributions would be received from corporations. Mr. Bryan intended to convey the impression that Mr. Taft had come to that determination after the Denver convention. In that the Democratic "peerless one" is not honest. Mr. Taft is a law abiding citizen. Such contributions are unlawful, made so by a law passed by a Republican congress at the instance of a Republican administration of which Judge Taft was a part six months before the Denver convention. Be honest, Mr. Bryan, if you can!

TRYING TO HOOD-WINK NEGROES

Democrats Pursuing Their Usual Double Faced Policy.

Upholding Disfranchisement in the South While Forming Colored Bryan Clubs in West.

(From the Baltimore Sun, Dem.)

General Winfield S. Hancock, who was the Democratic nominee for President in 1880, declared the tariff was principally a "local question"—that is to say, a Pennsylvania Democrat might be a protectionist for protection's sake, while a Democrat in Georgia or in Iowa might hold fast to the doctrine of a tariff for revenue only. The Massachusetts Democrat might be a free trader without reservation of any kind, while the West Virginia Democrat might be a free trader only with respect to commodities which were not produced by his own State. General Hancock's pronouncement was considered an ingenious evasion of the tariff issue, but it did not produce harmony in the Democratic party, and the general was defeated.

Twenty-eight years have passed since General Hancock defined the tariff as a local question upon which the Democrats of each State were free to act with regard chiefly to local interests. The principle which he then formulated seems to have been adopted by Democrats in the West in respect to the relation of the Democratic party to the negro. Last week the West Virginia Democratic convention embodied in its platform planks demanding certain qualifications for voters, designed to disfranchise many negroes. Their platform also contains a declaration in favor of separate coaches for white and negro passengers on railroads. The West Virginia Democrats not only refuse to hold out the olive branch to the negro and invite him into their fold, but they are determined to limit his political activity by a disfranchising law and to bring him under the operation of a "Jim Crow" law when he travels on the railroads of that State.

What are the Promises?

Out in Nebraska and in Kansas the Democratic campaign managers are organizing negro voters into Bryan clubs. In Ohio no effort will be spared to secure the support of the negro voters for the Democratic national ticket. What pledges have been given and what inducements have been offered does not appear. But it is a fair inference that the managers have promised to do "something for the negro," perhaps to recognize him in the distribution of offices, if Mr. Bryan should be elected, and also to take such action as the negroes may demand in respect to the reinstatement of the negro battalion dismissed from the army by President Roosevelt for the attack on Brownsville. Last week when the West Virginia Democrats were declaring for a disfranchisement law and for a "Jim Crow" law, the Democratic convention in the Twelfth Congressional district of Ohio adopted a platform favoring "the enactment of laws which shall accord to all men accused of wrongdoing, whether soldiers or civilians, a fair and impartial trial and an opportunity to be heard before conviction or punishment." This apparently refers to the Brownsville incident. It may also have a broader meaning and a more extended application and may be susceptible of an interpretation which will make Southern Democrats open their eyes with amazement and possibly with apprehension.

Race Question "Local Issue?"

There seems to be no ground for reasonable doubt that the Democratic campaign managers in the West, in the effort to secure negro support for their national ticket, are acting upon the principle that the race question is only a "local issue." It is evident that the South does not approve this plan of campaign, but is powerless to check it. The Democracy of the South is in full accord with the position taken by the West Virginia Democrats last week. And yet it is assumed by those who are trying to get negroes to support Mr. Bryan that the South will act in hearty co-operation with the Ohio, Nebraska, Kansas and Illinois Democrats, who are welcoming the negro into free fellowship in the Democratic party and probably promising to annul the decision of President Roosevelt in the Brownsville matter. The theory of Western Democrats that the race problem is merely a local issue is calculated to give the South much concern. Many Democrats in that section may question whether it is worth while to elect a Democratic president who may open wide the door of political opportunity to the negro.

Mr. Bryan criticizes Mr. Taft for adding to the Republican platform. In the meantime the number of "paramount issues" which Mr. Bryan subtracted from the Democratic platform would fill several large volumes.—Omaha Bee.

Honors are easy again. Every time Mr. Taft buys a new horse Mr. Bryan mounts a new hobby.—Omaha Bee.

CHICAGO BOY MISSING.

Mystery Complicated by Return of His Pet Dog.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—The mystery of the disappearance of Perry Paul Elliot, a twelve-year-old boy for whom the police have been searching since Friday, was further complicated by the return of Perry's pet dog, "Spot," with the boy's cap between his teeth. What seems to be the stains of blood were on the cap. Shortly afterward a note demanding \$500 for the return of the boy was slipped under the door.

Mrs. Elliot, the lad's mother, told a remarkable story to the police. She claims to have deserted the boy's father years ago and to have been duped into a mock marriage with one Charles P. Pillars, with whom she lived at Traverse City, Mich., until she came to Chicago and married Harry Thomas, a telegraph operator.

BATTLING NELSON DEFEATS JOE GANS

Champion Knocks Out Negro in Twenty-first Round.

San Francisco, Sept. 10.—Batting Nelson clinched his claim to the lightweight pugilistic championship by defeating Joe Gans for the second time at Colma arena. The fight ended in the twenty-first round, when Gans, beaten down by a succession of blows from his sturdy conqueror, failed to get upon his feet within the count of ten. The veteran colored fighter was severely punished, but the champion, too, bore the marks of battle. From the first clang of the gong to the last moment Nelson forced the fighting, never giving ground and gradually battered down his older and less vigorous opponent.

Gans succumbed in the twenty-first round after being unmercifully trounced. Nelson in this round rained right and left blows to jaw and body and Gans sank to the floor. Mechanically the now defeated fighter watched Referee Eddie Smith wave his hands, apparently too far gone to hear him count. Not until the count of ten was finished did Gans, his face terribly cut and his eyes glassy, attempt to rise. He realized, however, that it was too late and feebly declared: "I have positively fought my last battle."

The fight was spectacular and at no time did it appear that Gans had a chance to win. Time and again he would shoot wicked punches to Nelson's face and body but the latter never for an instant wavered. Failing to arrest the rushing champion at any stage, Gans seemed to lose heart and gradually weakened, though he often rallied and fought back fiercely.

BASEBALL SCORES.

American Association.

At St. Paul, 11; Milwaukee, 6.
At Columbus, 2; Louisville, 3.
At Minneapolis, 6; Kansas City, 6.
At Indianapolis, 3; Toledo, 1. Second game—Indianapolis, 5; Toledo, 3.

American League.

At Washington, 5; Boston, 4.
At Philadelphia, 6; New York, 9.
At Detroit, 7; Chicago, 6—twelve innings.
At Cleveland, 1; St. Louis, 0—ten innings.

National League.

At Chicago, 5; St. Louis, 3.
At Boston, 5; Philadelphia, 2.
At New York, 7; Brooklyn, 3.
At Pittsburgh, 11; Cincinnati, 1.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Sept. 9.—Wheat—Sept., 98½¢@98½¢; Dec., 99½¢@99½¢; May, 1.03¢. On track—No. 1 hard, 1.01¢@1.02¢; No. 1 Northern, 1.00¢@1.01¢; No. 2 Northern, 98¢@99¢; No. 3 Northern, 96½¢@97½¢.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Sept. 9.—Wheat—To arrive on track—No. 1 hard, 1.01¢; No. 1 Northern, 1.00¢; No. 2 Northern, 98¢; Sept., 99¢; Dec., 98½¢; May, 1.02¢. Flax—To arrive, on track and Sept., 1.24¢; Oct., 1.23¢; Nov., 1.23¢; Dec., 1.22¢.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Sept. 9.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$6.00@6.75; fair to good, \$5.00@5.75; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.00@5.00; veals, \$3.75@6.00. Hogs—\$6.60@6.85. Sheep—Wethers, \$3.75@4.10; yearlings, \$4.00@4.25; spring lambs, \$4.50@5.25.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—Wheat—Sept., 97½¢; Dec., 96½¢@96½¢; May, 1.00¢@1.00¢. Corn—Sept., 79½¢; Dec., 68½¢; May, 66½¢; July, 65¢. Oats—Sept., 49½¢; Dec., 50½¢; May, 52½¢. Pork—Sept., \$14.60; Oct., \$14.67½; Jan., \$16.42½. Butter—Creameries, 18½¢@22½¢; dairies, 17¢@20¢. Eggs—20¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 17¢; chickens, 10¢; springs, 14¢.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—Cattle—Beefves, \$2.70@7.70; Texans, \$3.50@5.00; Western cattle, \$3.40@6.10; stockers and feeders, \$2.60@4.50; cows and heifers, \$1.80@5.80; calves, \$6.00@8.00. Hogs—Light, \$6.40@7.02½; mixed, \$6.40@6.60; good to choice heavy, \$6.60@7.15; pigs, \$4.15@6.05. Sheep, \$2.35@4.30; yearlings, \$4.30@4.80; lambs, \$3.50@5.90.

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BRYAN BEGINS EASTERN TRIP

Candidate Starts on His Invasion of the East.

TRAVELS IN A PRIVATE CAR

Democratic Leader Accorded a Series of Ovations at Peoria, Ill.—Discusses Issues of the Campaign and Again Says Mr. Taft is Not Satisfied With the Republican Platform.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 10.—Democracy's leader, William J. Bryan, was the man of the hour in Peoria. From the moment he set foot in the city until his departure for Evansville, Ind., he was accorded a series of demonstrations which breathed sincerity and admiration. Within ten minutes after he arrived he addressed a large crowd in front of the hotel, they insisting that he give them a talk. He took for his text the more striking passages of his Labor day address in Chicago, and dwelt at some length on the right of trial by jury in cases of indirect contempt. During the afternoon and evening he made three other speeches, the principal one at the Coliseum, which was filled to its capacity, and which necessitated an overflow address in courthouse square. His speech on the state and nation, in which he declared in favor of state rights, was received with vociferous applause and every manifestation of approval. Although it was oppressively hot, Mr. Bryan did not give evidence of suffering any discomfort. When he had finished his prepared speech he launched into a discussion of the various issues of the campaign and reiterated his charge that Mr. Taft was not satisfied with the Republican platform, and had been compelled to amend it in many particulars.

When the train pulled out of the depot here, the actual invasion of the East by the Democratic candidate was begun. From this point until the trip is concluded Sept. 29, at Lincoln, Mr. Bryan will travel in a private car. Accompanying him are former Governor W. S. Jennings of Florida; Robert S. Rose, secretary; four newspaper men and A. E. Manning, who will look after the comfort of the party. Governor Jennings will have the complete management of the car.

While in West Virginia and Maryland, Mr. Bryan will seize the opportunity to confer with the Democratic county chairmen of those states.

Cannon and Shaw Talk.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 10.—With two national figures in American politics present, Joseph G. Cannon and Leslie M. Shaw, both leaders in the councils of the Republican party, the Republicans of Illinois met in state convention here. Both of these gentlemen made stirring speeches, and were rigorously applauded.

Six Men Drowned.

London, Sept. 10.—A severe gale caused many casualties among smaller craft along the coast. The schooner Phyllis Gray, laden with coal, went aground and turned turtle near Croydon. The crew of six men were lost.

Piles

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ROBBED HIS ADMIRERS.

Former Danish Cabinet Minister an Embezzler.

Copenhagen, Sept. 10.—The downfall of M. Alberti, the former minister of justice, who has surrendered to the police and confessed to a series of frauds against the BoWestandens Sparkasse, a savings bank of which he was president, will be felt the keenest by those who were his most ardent admirers and supporters.

The exact amount involved through Alberti's fraudulent operations and embezzlement has not yet been ascertained, but will be several millions of dollars, the Danish Farmers' Butter Export association alone suffering a loss of \$1,500,000, while widespread ruin has been caused among thousands of peasants, from whom the former minister of justice derived his power. The minister of finance even now is considering the advisability of the state assisting the ruined depositors.

According to Alberti's own story, he began falsifying the accounts of the bank in 1894, seven years before he was appointed minister of justice. The bulk of the money and his own fortune were lost, he says, through speculations in various American gold mines. He conducted his speculations through London firms, going to the city twice a year to confer with them for the past fourteen years.

When M. Alberti resigned his portfolio on July 25, last, the announcement that his action was caused by ill health was immediately disbelieved. It was said that in reality his leaving the cabinet was due to attacks made upon his personal probity by a radical opposition. M. Alberti's personal followers came to his support.

Carl's Aspirations.

Little Carl, six years old, had been teased a great deal by his uncle about the vocation he would choose when he became a man. One day he overheard his mother and a caller talking about a certain gentleman being a bachelor.

When the caller left, his mother noticed that he was unusually quiet and seemed to be in a deep study. Finally he said to her, "Mamma, is a bachelor a good trade?"—Delineator.

Bryan's Precinct Republican.

At the recent primary election in Nebraska Lancaster Precinct No. 4, in which is located Fairview, the voting precinct of W. J. Bryan, cast thirty-five Republican votes and twenty-six Democratic. The same precinct last fall cast forty-three Republican votes and thirty-five Democratic, a Democratic loss of slightly more than 1 per cent. When Mr. Bryan lived in town he registered in Precinct A of the Fifth Ward, a polling place which usually could be depended upon to vote about the proportion of three Republicans to one Democrat. At the time he removed to Fairview he remarked jocularly that he was going to a community where the political division was more even, and he hoped in time to reform Lancaster No. 4 as to make it veer around to his way of thinking.

WANTS

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, also furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 215 North 5th street. 82t

FOR SALE—House on corner lot 50x150 shade trees, large barn 623 Maple St. N. E. Geo. I. Bouck. 82t

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FOR RENT—Modern suite of office rooms in the Bane block, at \$9 per month. Apply to E. C. Bane. 52t

TAKEN UP—A stray pig, at my residence on East Oak street. Owner can receive same by paying costs. JOSEPH SLOCUM.